rovements, and are
Every Particular.

Sweetness of
Use.
for 5 Years.
and Organs sold on
n exchange for new
nts Repaired.

ONROE STS.,
HOUSE,
HICAGO.

AR BITTERS

n take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unbelieve bones are not destroyed by other means, and vital gond the point of repair.
r Indigestion, Headache, Chills, Coughs, Tightness of Sour Eructations of the Taste in the Mouth, Bilious of the Heart, Inflammation in the regions of the Kidneys other painful symptoms, of Dyspepsia. One bottle better guarantee of its merits Advertisement.
e Complaints, in young or single, at the dawn of woman-of life, these Tonic Bitters ful influence that improve-perceptible.
mmatory and Chronic and Gout, Bilious, Remittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, and Bladder, these Bitters have Diseases are caused by Vitiated
gentle Purgative as well possessing the merit of acting as in relieving Congestion or the Liver and Visceral Organs, ceases.
Diseases, Eruptions, Tetter, ches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Ring-worms, Scald-Head, Salt-Rheum, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations, Humors and Diseases of the name or nature, are literally carried out of the system in a dose of these Bitters.
thousands proclaim VINEGAR a wonderful Invigorant that the sinking system.
H. McDONALD & CO.
n. Agts., San Francisco, Cal., ston and Charlton Sts., N. Y.
DRUGGISTS & DEALERS.
awly.

Ayer's
y Pectoral,
ghs, Colds, Whooping-Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.

The Daily Republican.

VOL. 3. DECATUR, ILL., MONDAY, NOV. 2, 1874. NO. 184.

NEW QUARTERS

WHO? WHERE?

Warren & Durfee

Abstracts of Title
INSURANCE,
REAL ESTATE
—AND—
Conveyancing Office.

Now on the corner E. Main and Water Sts.—Room recently occupied by W. J. Brown, Druggist.

October 28, 1874—d.

Ayer's
Hair Vigor,
For restoring to Gray Hair its natural Vitality and Color.

A dressing which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *It soon restores faded or gray hair to its original color, with the gloss and freshness of youth.* Thin hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed; but such as remain can be saved by this application, and stimulated into activity, so that a new growth of hair is produced. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. The restoration of vitality it gives to the scalp arrests and prevents the formation of dandruff, which is often so uncleanly and offensive. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit but not harm it. If wanted merely for a HAIR DRESSING, nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich, glossy lustre, and a grateful perfume.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co.,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,
LOWELL, MASS.

Theo. Hildebrandt, Ag't
DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Blenz & Danzeisen
BUTCHERS
And dealers in
SMOKED and CURED MEATS
West Side Old Square.

FRESH MEATS!
Of all kinds, always on hand. We kill nothing but choice stock.
We have on hand a Choice Lot of
Sugar-Cured Hams!
Shoulders,
Breakfast Bacon, &c.,
Dried Beef,
Bologna Sausage, etc.
LARD
AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
A full stock always on hand.
Decatur, April 10, 1874-d1y.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the December Term, A. D. 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That suit has heretofore been commenced, and is now pending, in the Circuit Court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, on the chancery side thereof, wherein Charles A. Manners and Edward F. Leonard, by the firm name of C. A. Manners & Co., are complainants, and the Indiana and Illinois Central Railway Company, the Union Trust Company of New York, John K. Warren, John D. Champlin, Adolph H. Lazare, Henry B. Hammond, Sidney Dillon, Chauncey Vibbard, Benjamin F. Bates, George M. Pullman, William H. Guion, and unknown persons having an interest in the subject matter of this suit are defendants, that alias summons has been issued therein against the Union Trust Company of New York, directed to the Sheriff of said Macon county to serve, made returnable to the December term of said court, to be holden at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county of Macon, *On Monday, the 7th day of December, A. D. 1874,*

at which time and place the said defendants are required to plead, answer or demur to the bill filed in said cause, or the same will be taken pro confesso, and said cause set for hearing ex parte. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
A. SIMPSON and NELSON & RONY Solicitors for Complainants.
Decatur, Ill., Oct. 16, 1874. d1w

I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 17, '74, trains will depart from and arrive at Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.
Freight and Accommodation..... 7:00 a m
Passenger..... 1,00 p m

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.
Passenger..... 11,30 a m
Freight and Accommodation..... 5,45 p m

H. C. MOORE,
Gen'l Sup't, Tuscola.
C. V. LEWIS,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Ag't, Tuscola.
S. NEWELL,
Agent, Decatur

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.
Passenger..... 5 08 A M Sundays excepted
Freight..... 2 25 A M Mondays "
" ..... 10 40 A M Sundays "
" ..... 3 45 P M " "

GOING SOUTH.
Passenger..... 7 42 P M Sundays excepted
Freight..... 8 50 A M " "
" ..... 11 20 P M " "
" ..... 3 25 P M " "

A. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.
W. P. JOHNSON, Gen'l Pass'r Agt, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Gen. Ft't Agt.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent.

THE GREAT EAST & WEST FAST LINE!

The public are respectfully reminded that the Toledo, Wabash & Western Railway is the only line running Fast Trains through to New York, Boston and other Eastern Cities, and St. Louis, Quincy and other Western Cities enabling travelers to reach their destination from six to seven hours in advance of all other Lines.

Close Connection is also made at Danville Junction for Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Louisville.

Pullman Sleeping Cars are run between St. Louis and Cleveland, and Quincy and Toledo, without change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:
GOING WEST:
No. 1 Through Express..... 3 15 a. m
" 3 Fast Express..... 12 20 p. m
" 11 Accommodation..... 3 10 p. m
" 5 " ..... 11 00 p. m

GOING EAST:
No. 2 Lightning Express..... 10 45 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ..... 12 00 m
" 12 Accommodation..... 7 45 p m
" 6 " ..... 9 00 a. m

PEKIN DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Accommodation..... 6 05 a. m
" 3 Mail..... 1 30 p. m

ARRIVE:
No. 2 Accommodation..... 9 00 p. m
" 4 Mail..... 11 15 a. m

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:
DEPART:
No. 1 Through Express..... 3 20 a. m
" 3 Fast Express..... 12 25 p. m
" 9 Accommodation..... 12 30 a. m
" 5 " ..... 6 00 a. m

ARRIVE:
No. 2 Lightning Express..... 10 40 p. m
" 4 Atlantic " ..... 11 30 a. m
" 10 Accommodation..... 4 25 a. m
" 6 " ..... 6 15 p. m

R. ANDREWS, Sup't.
W. L. MALCOLM, Gen'l Pass'r Ag't, Toledo.
K. HARWOOD, Ticket Agent, Decatur.

THROUGH TIME BY THE I. B. & W. ROUTE.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
Lv Decatur.....			3 15 p m
Ar Monticello.....			4 50 "
" Champaign.....			6 05 "
" Chicago.....			8 05 a m
Lv Champaign.....	5 40 a m	1 10 p m	11 30 p m
Ar Danville.....	7 20 a m	2 50 p m	1 30 a m
T., W. & W. R R.			
Lv Decatur.....		12 00 m	3 15 p m
" Tolono.....		1 20 p m	12 27 a m
Ar Danville.....		2 50 p m	1 20 a m
I., B. & W. R. R.			
Lv Danville.....	7 20 a m	3 00 p m	1 20 a m
Ar Indianapolis.....	11 40 a m	6 30 p m	6 10 a m
" Cincinnati.....	9 00 p m	12 10 a m	11 50 a m
" Dayton.....	9 15 p m	10 00 a m	12 25 p m
" Columbus.....	11 45 p m	10 25 a m	3 40 p m
" Zanesville.....	1 55 a m	1 40 p m	
" Wheeling.....	5 45 a m	5 20 p m	
" Washington.....	9 45 p m	7 00 a m	9 00 p m
" Baltimore.....	5 15 p m	8 30 a m	6 30 p m
" Pittsburg.....	7 05 a m	11 45 a m	12 01 a m
" Harrisburg.....	3 25 p m	10 40 p m	11 55 a m
" Philadelphia.....	6 40 p m	2 50 a m	3 35 p m
" New York.....	9 25 p m	7 00 a m	6 45 p m
" Crestline.....		4 20 a m	
" Cleveland.....		7 10 a m	
" Buffalo.....		1 10 p m	
" Boston.....		10 00 a m	5 50 a m
" Louisville.....		11 25 p m	1 00 p m
" Nashville.....		7 35 a m	

No. 6 via T., W & W. Ry, will leave Decatur daily except Saturday. All other trains daily except Sunday.

Pullman Palace Drawing Room and Sleeping Cars run on No. 6 from Champaign and Danville to Indianapolis.

Through Coaches run on No. 4 from Decatur via Danville to Cincinnati.

C. W. SMITH, Gen'l Manager.
JNO. W. BROWN, Gen'l Pass. & Tkt Agt, Indianapolis, Ind.
For further information address
W. H. A. THOMPSON, Agent, Decatur, Ill.

TERRE HAUTE, PARIS & DECATUR R. R.

(Operated by Paris and Decatur R. R. Co.,)

TIME TABLE.

TAKING EFFECT MAY 31st, 1874.

EAST BOUND TRAINS.
No. 1, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Decatur..... 8:30 a. m
Arrives at Terre Haute..... 1:25 p. m
" Indianapolis..... 4:15 "
No. 3, Accommodation—
Leaves Decatur..... 3:45 p m
Arrives at Terre Haute..... 12:40 a. m
" Indianapolis..... 3:35 "

WEST BOUND TRAINS.
No. 2, Accommodation—
Leaves Terre Haute..... 6:30 a. m
Arrives at Decatur..... 3:00 p. m
No. 4, Mail and Express Train—
Leaves Indianapolis..... 2:00 p. m
Leaves Terre Haute..... 5:20 "
Arrives at Decatur at..... 10:40 "

These trains run into the Union Depot at Terre Haute.

THROUGH TICKETS via this line to all principal eastern and southern points can be obtained at the Illinois Central R. R. ticket office, and also at this Company's depot, Main street, Decatur.

C. F. FOLLETT, Gen. Ticket Ag't.
D. HITCHCOCK, Gen. Sup't,
PARIS, - - ILLS.
C. H. BROWN, Local Fr't & T'k't Ag't, Decatur, Ills.
may4'74.d)

New Advertisements.

GET THE BEST!

RATHBONE STOVES SARD & CO

FEARLESS.
Most perfect Stove in the world for Soft Coal, Hard Coal or Wood.
DAUNTLESS.
Clinkerless, Illuminated Base Burner.
ACORN. COOK AND HEATER.
For Wood only.
LOYAL COOK,
Best cheap Wood Stove.
PRAIRIE.
Cheap first-class Cook Stove.
RATHBONE RANGE.
Single or Double Oven.
Good Cheap Stoves,
Made of same quality Iron in a superior manner. Catalogue and Price List furnished the Trade. RATHBONE, SARD & CO.
38 and 40 Lake Street, CHICAGO.

FOR SALE AT RETAIL BY
CLOSE & GRISWOLD
DECATUR, ILL.
October 8, 1874-dawlw.

BOOK STORE!
I. J. DAVIS & CO.,
BOOKSELLERS & STATIONERS.
Keep a complete line of School Books, Miscellaneous Books, Blank Books Albums, Chromos, Pictures, Picture Frames, Pocket-books, Cutlery, &c., &c.
GIVE THEM A CALL!
First door west of Millikin & Co.'s Bank

N. B.—Special attention given to the News Department. All newspapers and periodicals delivered and mailed PROMPTLY. Newspapers furnished at subscription rates.
No. 9 East Main street, Decatur, Ill.
September 5, 1874-dawlm.

TAKE SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR
THE
FAVORITE HOME REMEDY.
This unrivalled Medicine is warranted not to contain a single particle of Mercury, or any injurious mineral substance, but is
Purely Vegetable,
containing those Southern Roots and Herbs which an all-wise Providence has placed in countries where Liver Diseases most prevail. It will cure all diseases caused by derangement of the Liver and Bowels.
Simmons' Liver Regulator,
OR MEDICINE,
Is eminently a Family Medicine; and by being kept ready for immediate resort will save many an hour of suffering and many a dollar in time and doctors' bills.
After over Forty Years' trial it is still receiving the most unqualified testimonials to its virtues from persons of the highest character and responsibility. Eminent physicians commend it as the most Effectual Remedy
For Dyspepsia or Indigestion.
Armed with this ANTIDOTE, all climates and changes of water and food may be faced without fear. As a remedy in Malarious Fevers, Bowel Complaints, Restlessness, Jaundice, Nausea,
IT HAS NO EQUAL!
It is the cheapest, purest and best family medicine in the world. Is manufactured only by J. H. ZEILIN & CO., Macon, Ga., and Philadelphia. Price, $1,00.

FOR SALE IN DECATUR BY
J. S. HAND & CO.,
10 North Water-St.
May 19, 1874-deod&wly.

Notice of Petition to Sell Real Estate to Pay Debt.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the County Court to the October Term, A. D. 1874.

Andrew M. McKinney, Executor of the Estate of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, *vs.* Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in the office of the clerk of the county court, in and for said Macon county, by said Andrew M. McKinney, executor of Stephen N. Blythe, deceased, against Mary D. Blythe and Joseph A. Blythe, defendants, praying for the sale of the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, to-wit:

The east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), in township sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the third principal meridian, to pay debts. And that a summons has been issued in said cause, returnable on the first day of the October term of said court, to be holden at the court house in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on Monday, the 19th day of October, A. D. 1874; and unless the said defendants shall then and there appear and plead to and answer said petition, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree for sale of said premises as prayed will be entered. H. W. WAGGONER,
Clerk Macon County Court.
September 7, 1874.
NELSON & RONY, Sol's for petitioner. [sept8-d40d.

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7½ A. M.; closes at 7½ P. M. Money Order and Registering office open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

MAILS ARRIVE
From West, St. Louis, Pekin, I. B. & W., and I. & I. C..... 11:45 A. M.
" East..... 12:15 P. M.
" South, Paris, & East of Lafayette..... 6:00 A. M.
" North..... 8:00 "

MAILS CLOSE
For Paris..... 8:00 A. M.
" East..... 10:45 "
" West, and St. Louis..... 11:30 "
" Pekin, and I. & I. C..... 12:00 M.
" Chicago, and I. B. & W..... 2:45 P. M.
" South..... 7:00 "
" North & East of Lafayette..... 7:30 "

I. C. PUGH, Postmaster.

MARSHAL MACMAHON—HIS HOME LIFE.

The Paris correspondent of the London *Daily News*, writing of McMahon's home life, says:

"The Marshal contrives to be out shooting, if possible, when bores arrive, and if any of them wish to run him to the earth among the colza or the beet root fields, they would have to run long and fast, for the hero of Magenta is one of those men who can set out with his gun at 9 and be still potting away indefatigably at 5, many hours after his two retrievers, his aide-de-camp and the Marquis Amelot, his neighbor and best sporting friend, have had enough of it. He is a taciturn sportsman and excellent shot. Bred to the tracks of partridges from his earliest youth he aims stolidly, and knocks them over, or if, perchance, he misses once in a day, his chagrin finds vent in one of those round expletives which come very venially from an old soldier. It must be remembered that the Marshal is emphatically an old soldier and nothing but that—no politician, no diplomatist, or mincer of words. He hates politics with a rueful sort of horror, which he confesses in his smileless way to all who have a talk with him; and though his friends have succeeded in pursuading him that he has a saving mission to discharge, yet his Presidentship constrains him to varieties of pomp which are most repugnant to his nature. He has never consented to be trammelled in private by the etiquette of a court.—In Paris he goes periodically on foot to have his hair clipped into bristles on the Rue Vivienne, and afterwards he likes to slip off and breakfast in a private room at Danduron's or the Cafe d'Orsay. He is a great stickler for uniform—not quite to the point of utterly eschewing civilian dress, like the late Marshal Castellane—but dons military undress in his study, puts on his kepi to go shooting, and of yore he used to make his old regimental overcoats do service as dressing gowns until two years ago, when he was stricken with rheumatics, the Duchess pressed on his acceptance a genuine dressing gown furred and lined with silk, which gorgeous vestment, however, he wore with sorrow and compunction as tending to effeminacy.

GETTING EVEN WITH HIM.

An Irish fellow-citizen called at the post office, "Anny letther for O'Hboolahan?" "Which of them?" "Anny of thim." "We can't give our letters that way—what's your first name?" "None of your business fwhat my name is—I want a letther." "We can't tell whether there is any letter for you without knowing what your name is." "I'm a naturalized citizen, and ain't I as much right to a letther as annybody?" "Why, yes, of course, if there is one for you. I can't tell whether there is any unless you tell me your name." "Gimme a letther, I tell you!" "Give me your name, I tell you!" "Me name is—me name is—Pathrick Mahoney." (Clerk looks) "There is no letter for Patrick Mohoney." After a little more stubborn insisting the man started away. A gentleman, who had been looking on with much enjoyment, inquired: "So you didn't get any letters after all, Pat?" "No," said Pat, with a wink, "I got even wid him; it wasn't me own name I guv him! Is there anny other post-office in this town where I could get a letther, sur?"

HUMOROUS.

All hotel guests are expected to be satisfied with their quarters, but the waiters expect fifty cents.

Big thing—a patent file for bills payable, which so disposes of them that they are never presented a second time.

"What are you doing there?" said a grocer to a fellow who was stealing his lard. "I am getting fat," was the reply.

A Pennsylvania baby is said to have inherited the eyes and nose of its father, but the cheek of his uncle, who is an insurance agent.

The *Inter-Ocean* calls Mrs. Jane Swisshelm "a woman with a rudder to her name."—[Pittsburg Commercial. Yes, but what was her rudder name before she was married?

Now, after a lapse of ninety odd years, it has been discovered that spitting on the bait doesn't help to catch fish. Is there any one in America who isn't as mad as blazes?—*Detroit Free Press.*

"Is not this butter tainted?" asked a customer of an up-town provision store. "It 'taint," said the ungrammatical dealer.

REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

We, the delegated representatives of the Republican party of Illinois, declare the following to be substantially our political belief:

1. That emancipation and enfranchisement having been secured by the Thirteenth and Fifteenth Amendments to the Constitution of the United States, and by appropriate legislation for their enforcement; and equality of civil rights having been guaranteed by the Fourteenth Amendment, such guaranty should be enforced by appropriate statutes, so that the broad aegis of Federal power may be over black and white citizens alike.

2. That, as one of the consequences of the late civil war, about $382,000,000 of non-interest bearing Treasury notes were issued to, and are now held by, the people as a safe and convenient currency, it would be unwise and inexpedient, in the present financial condition of the people, to attempt the immediate cancellation of any portion of such Treasury notes.

3. That the laws for the establishment of national banks having secured to the States and Territories the best system of bank circulation ever before afforded the people, it should be no longer confined to a privileged class, but should be free to all alike, under general and equal laws, the aggregate volume of currency to be regulated by the untrammeled laws of trade.

4. That we re-affirm the declaration of the National Republican Convention of 1872, in favor of a return to specie payment at the earliest practicable day.

5. That we commend the measures which have passed the popular branch of Congress, looking to the cheapening and perfection of Inter-State railway transportation, and the improvement of navigation at the mouth of the Mississippi river.

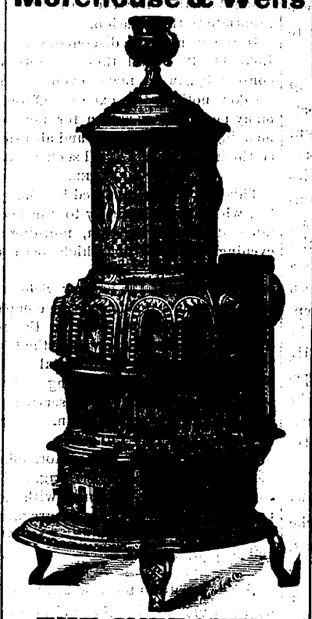
6. That we are in favor of an amendment of the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of the President and Vice President by the direct vote of the people, without the intervention of the Electoral College.

7. That the Republican party proposes to respect the rights reserved by the people to themselves, as carefully as the powers delegated by them to the State and Federal Governments; and it will aim to secure the rights and privileges of the citizen without regard to nativity or creed; and it is opposed to interference by law with the habits, tastes or customs of individuals, except to suppress licentiousness or to preserve the peace and safety of the citizens of the State.

8. That while we accord to the railway companies of this State the fullest measure of property rights, we also demand for the people reasonable charges and rigid impartiality in the transportation of passengers and freight—such guaranty to be secured by appropriate State and National legislation.

Relying upon the foregoing declaration of principles and policy, and upon the broad, clear record of the Republican party during its fifteen years of State and Federal administration, we appeal once more to that silent yet conclusive tribunal, the ballot-box, confident that the people will endorse overwhelmingly the action of this representative Convention.

DUBUQUE!
Morehouse & Wells



THE IMPROVED, NEW STYLE
DUBUQUE
For 1874,
FOR SALE ONLY
—BY—
Morehouse & Wells
October 13, 1874-d1m.

COKE!
For the purpose of disposing of the Stock now on hand, the Gas Company will deliver
COKE
Until November 1st, in Thirty Bushel lots, at
$2.25.
Order at Office of
WARREN & DURFEE.
October 13, 1874—d.

ST. JAMES HOTEL!
(Cor. Water & Wood Sts, Decatur, Ill.)
J. B. MILLIGAN, Proprietor.
The house has been re-painted, papered, and thoroughly repaired, and the furniture is all new.
Board by the day or week, on reasonable terms. [Sept. 8-d4m*

FOR SALE!
A TWO STORY FRAME HOUSE, on the corner of West Main and Pine streets. Will be sold very low. For information inquire, at Dr. Sibley's office, of
GILBERT FERRY.
Sept. 11-dawtf.

Rufus C. Crocker
NO. 9 WATER ST.,
Has on sale the Celebrated
SATISFACTION!
COOK STOVE,
—THE—
Best in the World.

And other styles Heating Stoves
ALSO, A FULL LINE OF
HARDWARE
OF ALL KINDS,
As Cheap as the Cheapest
Jul'74.—d&wtf.

MACON
Property for Sale
THE UNDERSIGNED has a desirable story and a half residence to sell, cheap for cash, or will trade for property in Decatur. The house contains five rooms; good cellar, well and cistern, and a first-rate barn, 25x36, on the premises; shrubbery and fruit trees.
He will also sell his
Business House and Stock of Goods,
Consisting of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Hats and Caps, Notions, etc. Will trade business house for property in Decatur, and sell goods cheap for cash or trade them for goods in Decatur.
For further particulars address the undersigned.
T. C. DRINKALL,
Sep23-d3m] MACON, ILLINOIS.

Commissioner's Sale

—OF A—

VALUABLE FARM!

Near Harristown, Macon Co., Ill.

RICHARD M. HAMILTON, et al. vs. JOHN W. HAMILTON, et al.

Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the August term, A. D. 1874, of the circuit court within and for the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell, on

Saturday, the 31st day of October,

A. D. 1874, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of section twenty-eight (28), in township seventeen (17) north, range one (1) east of third principal meridian; also, the south half of the northeast quarter of said section, township and range, containing 240 acres.

TERMS OF SALE—One-third of purchase money cash in hand; balance in two equal payments, due, respectively, in one and two years from day of said sale, to be secured by notes bearing six per cent. interest per annum, and mortgage on said lands. Said lands will be offered in 80 acre tracts, or all together, to suit purchasers. Sale to commence at 1½ o'clock p. m.

Decatur, Ill., September 10, 1874.
REUBEN H. MERIWEATHER,
Special Commissioner, &c.
September 21-d1d.

LELARDOUX & PATTERSON,
ARCHITECTS.
PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS furnished on short notice.
Commissions outside of Chicago personally attended to by M. PATTERSON,
P. Lelardoux, No. 59 W. Clark St., Chicago.
M. Patterson, No. 35 N. Water st., Decatur.
October 7, 1874-d1y.

FLOWERS WINTERED!
Theodore Steinen
Would inform the public generally that his GREEN AND HOT HOUSE, on South Webster street, has just been completed, and he is now prepared to receive all flowers for the purpose of keeping them over winter.
He insures all flowers given to him for keeping, and will winter them at a very reasonable price. [sep24-d1m.

Rich Farming Lands!
IN NEBRASKA,
Now for sale very cheap. Ten years credit, interest only 6 per cent. Send for "THE PIONEER," a handsome illustrated paper, containing the Homestead Law. A NEW NUMBER just published. Mailed free to all parts of the world. Address
O. F. DAVIS,
Land Commissioner U. P. R. R.,
OMAHA, NEB.

PROFESSIONAL.

W. T. CUMMINS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. Prompt attention to business.

R. E. BURNS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over Leaders & Co's Dry Goods Store, East Main Street. [d&w-71

St. Nicholas Hotel,
N. LAUX & BRO., PROPRIETORS
South side Old Square, Decatur Illinois
Bus to and from the house. aug1-tf

Dr. J. KING, M. D.,
HAS RESUMED THE PRACTICE of medicine. Office—Over Busher's shoe store

Dr. A. S. Waltz,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street.
June 15, 1874—d1mos*

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hilde brand's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1874-dw1f.

H. L. ODOR. E. B. ELDRIDGE.
ODOR & ELDRIDGE,
ATTORNEYS at LAW
OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 8, 1874-d1y

EDWIN PARK,
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW, and Notary Public. Office: Over Millikin's Bank. [June19,'74-tf.

C. C. McCOMAS,
ATTORNEY AT LAW AND STATES Attorney for Macon county. Office:—Over the Post Office, Decatur, Ill.
Dec. 13, 1873-dawtf.

B. L. Sterrett,
ATTORNEY AT LAW. Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store, south side New Square. [dec23-dawtf

W. C. JOHNS,
Attorney at Law.
OFFICE: Over Quinlan's Carpet Store east Main Street. [Apr. 1-d1f.

J. Stebbins King, M. D.,
HAVING permanently located in Decatur will attend promptly to all
PROFESSIONAL CALLS,
IN CITY OR COUNTRY,
DAY OR NIGHT
RESIDENCE: No. 21, West William St. Office—Southeast corner Old Square, over W. C. Armstrong's drug store.
May 21, 1874-dawtf.

DR. L. T. PEASE.
OFFICE—Over the Post Office. Residence—No. 5, Prairie street.
May 14, '74-dawly.

J. A. DILLON. S. F. DAVIDSON
Dillon & Davidson
ATTORNEYS AT LAW, Tecumseh, Nebraska. Have 25,000 acres of choice land in southeastern Nebraska for sale on reasonable terms. [feb25-w1y.

A. BROWER BUNN. JOSIAH BROWN.
BUNN & BROWN,
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELORS at law, Decatur, Ill. Office, over W. J. Brown's drug store, No. 32, southeast corner of East Main and Water Sts.
June 23, 1874-dawtf.

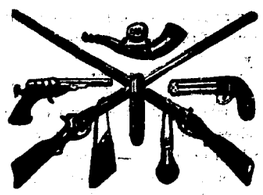
DR. R. C. DAWKINS,
DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office over Smith Hammer & Co's Bank. (j11-dw.t

DR. F. B. SPARKS,
HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN.
OFFICE:—Over the new Post Office. Residence—No. 36 West Main street.
April 21, 1874—d6m*.

TELEGRAPHING!
179 YOUNG LADIES AND GENTLEMEN wanted immediately to learn Telegraphing. Students furnished with positions on a regular commercial line as soon as competent.
ADDRESS,
Western Telegraph Co.,
April 20-dawtf) DECATUR, ILLS

JESSE LEFORGEE. F. A. LEFORGEE.
LEFORGEE & CO.,
REAL ESTATE
AND
LOAN AGENTS!
OFFER FOR SALE some of the choicest property in Macon county. Call and examine our list.
Agents for Milwaukee Life Insurance Company.
OFFICE—No. 8 Water street, second floor,
April 28, '74-tf.) DECATUR, ILLS.

A NEW FIRM
H. MUELLER. F. A. KORNMEYER.
H. MUELLER & CO.,
(Successors to H. MUELLER.)
PLUMBERS,
STEAM & GAS FITTERS,
And Dealers in
Iron and Lead Pipe, Steam and Gas Fittings and Fixtures, Rubber Hose, Pumps, &c., &c.



Also keep constantly on hand a complete stock of
Guns, Pistols, Powder, Shot, Lead, Caps, Wads, Fishing Tackle, &c.,
Which will be sold as cheap as the same can be bought in Central Illinois. All kinds of
MACHINE WORK AND GUN-SMITHING
Done in a neat and workmanlike manner.
H. MUELLER & CO.
April 28, 1874-d1y.

The Daily Republican.

HASCHER & MOSSER, Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, Nov. 2.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For State Treasurer,
THOMAS S. RIDGWAY,
Of Gallatin.

For Superintendent of Public Instruction,
WILLIAM B. POWELL,
Of Kane.

For Congress, 14th District,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,
Of Douglas.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator,
KILBURN H. ROBY,
Of Macon.

For Representatives,
EPHRAIM B. HARROLD,
DR. JOHN H. TYLER,
Of DeWitt.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Sheriff,
ISAAC D. JENNINGS.

For Coroner,
DR. T. GIVLER.

VOTE one and a half votes each for Ephraim B. Harrold and John H. Tyler, for representatives.

JOSEPH G. CANNON has been a faithful and active member of Congress. During the long session, which began in December and closed in June, he was in his place in the House *every day*, as the records will show, and was ever vigilant and attentive in the discharge of his duty. He made but few speeches, but those he *did* make always commanded the attention of the House. He was worth more in one day than Mr. Pickrell (clever a man as he is) would be worth in a month.

THE Republican candidate for senator is a man against whom his opponents cannot utter a single word of reproach. Here, where he is best known, he is universally esteemed and everybody is willing to concede that he is in every way qualified to fill the office with honor to himself and usefulness to the whole people. His opponent possesses no qualification whatever that is calculated to fit a man for such a responsible position. Vote for the best man, and that man is Roby.

THERE is no better or more upright man in the State of Illinois than Tom. Ridgway, and no better selection for state treasurer could be made. Vote for him.

WITH the last day of next January there will be no such thing as subscribers paying postage upon newspapers that pass through the mails. Every newspaper publisher will be obliged to prepay postage upon all newspapers sent to subscribers outside the county, while those sent to subscribers within the county will circulate free. The bill which makes these provisions was framed and introduced in the House by Hon. Joseph G. Cannon, who, by the most skillful management, secured its passage—a fact that James H. Pickrell never could have performed. Which will you vote for?

MR. ROBY is one of the very best lawyers in Central Illinois, and is just such a careful, intelligent man as is needed to assist in the framing of wise and just laws. Vote for him.

THE ELECTIONS.—To-morrow 24 States hold elections, at which 11 Governors, 17 legislatures and 180 Congressmen are to be chosen. Thirteen United States Senatorships will be determined by the result of the legislative elections.

BE sure you go to the polls early.

WILLIAM B. POWELL, the Republican candidate for superintendent of public instruction, formerly taught school in this county. He occupies the foremost rank among the educational men of the State, and is a worthy man in every respect. He deserves to receive the votes of the people, irrespective of party.

VICTORIES cannot be achieved without labor. Elections never carry themselves. We have but a few hours in which to work, and Republicans ought to make every moment count. The work this year is of the quiet, individual kind, which is the most effective. Probably every Republican knows of some one who is wavering and undecided as to his political action. Let him make it his special duty to see that that man is brought over to the right side. Let Republicans work earnestly and victory is sure to follow.

VOTE to-morrow.

NOTES BEFORE ELECTION.

The Independent-Reform ticket has been formally withdrawn in Madison county, Ill. The *Alton Telegraph* says:

This collapse of the Reform movement narrows the contest down to a straight fight between the Republicans and the Democrats.

In Fulton county, Ill., the Independent-Reform movement appears to be abandoned. The Canton *Register* asks:

"Where are the 'Independents'?—Where is their ticket? Who is getting them printed? Who will pay for them? Who will distribute them at the polls? Has there not been some great crime perpetrated in the name of 'Reform'? It looks like it.

"It appears that the withdrawal of support from Col. Isaac H. Elliott, the Opposition candidate for Congress in the Sixth Illinois District, by John H. Bryant and others, is because Mr. Elliott repudiates the platform of the Farmers' Movement, June 10, and indorses that of the Democratic convention, Aug. 26."

William W. Gilman, Independent candidate for the State Senate, in La-Salle county, has withdrawn.

ISAAC D. JENNINGS has made a good Sheriff—let us try him for two years more.

SEE that your neighbors all come out to vote. The election is an important one, and ought to call out a full vote.

THIS is what Hon. John R. Eden said to the writer in May last, while conversing with him upon the floor of the House of Representatives in Washington: "There is no new member on this floor who stands better, or has more influence than Joe. Cannon."

Wouldn't it be wiser to keep such a man there, than to swap him off for a new and untried man?

THE opponent of Mr. Roby for the senate is not fitted, either by nature or acquirements, for the work of legislation. Let him stay at home, where he can be of some use.

REPUBLICANS, you have a ticket that is without comparison. Seldom have you had such unexceptionable men to vote for, and it is your duty to honor the party with your confidence by turning out en masse to-morrow to vote for the success of your ticket.

No man who heard the speech of Mr. Cannon at the court house on Saturday night, can doubt for a moment that he is far the superior of his opponent, in everything that should enter into the composition of an efficient congressman. He is a man of broad views, and altogether in sympathy with the progressive spirit of the age. He is a sound lawyer, whose training has been such as eminently qualifies him to represent an intelligent and wide-awake people on the floor of the House. He has had the benefit of one term's experience—an advantage that is not to be lost sight of—and is indeed the superior of Mr. Pickrell in every respect. He ought to be re elected.

IF you want to see the 20th district represented in the Senate by a man who will reflect credit upon his constituents, vote for Kilburn H. Roby.

THERE are now no less than 83,318 colored property owners in Georgia, whose aggregate wealth is estimated at over $6,000,000, including 338,769 acres of land.

PICKRELL, the double candidate for congress, spread his wings last Friday night in this city, and told his attentive audience two stories; one that of a fellow milking a cow that was wont to lash him in the face with her tail. The followed tied her tail around his arm; the cow got scared and made tracks at a lively rate, taking her victim with her. Some fellow asked him where he was going, when he replied, "I don't know, ask the cow." The other story was of a young fellow who had been courting a girl for two years and finally asked her to marry him; she replied that she had not thought of it. The fellow said if he had been courting her two years and not got her to thinking about it, it was time to quit. P. also said his head was not sore for he had refused offices a number of times, and then closed his political speech. It was a stunner to his friends.—*Urbana Republican.*

WM. B. POWELL, for State School Superintendent, is a tower of strength wherever known, and he is pretty extensively known now throughout the State. The school men and educators in all parts of the State give him pretty nearly a solid endorsement. He is a manly sort of man, a thorough scholar, and enjoys a measure of good, hard common sense. He'll do. And the people think so. Mr. Powell will be elected by at least twenty thousand majority, which for the off year will be good enough.—*Joliet Sun.*

WHAT is Pickrell anyhow? Our Tuscola friends say he has repudiated the Democratic nomination. The *Times* says he claims that he is not and never has been a granger. His Macon supporters declare that he cast his last Republican vote. Where does he stand?—*Urbana Republican.*

CHURCH SERVICES YESTERDAY.

In the early morning of yesterday the air was crisp and cold; but by church time the weather had moderated, so that it was not only comfortable but agreeable to be in the open air. Consequently the congregations at all the churches were large, both morning and evening.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

The regular pastor officiated, and in the morning preached a most excellent sermon from the words, "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved." The subject of the discourse was "faith," and in treating it the speaker spoke of the need, nature and result of faith. The three points discussed under the general subject were clearly presented, and dispelled much of the mystery in which people are accustomed to envelop the subject of faith. The most profound attention was awarded to the sermon, and all who heard it must have been profited by the hearing.

In the evening the subject was "Amusements." Text, Job, 1—5, "And Job said," etc.; in which it was shown that amusements were necessary, as seen from history, from the testimony of men who study the human system, and from the Bible—that we were in constant danger of going too far in our amusements, and that there is a sure safeguard to protect us between the necessity and the danger: the constant exercise of our religion.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH.

Here also the regular pastor was in his place, and in the morning preached on the "Lord's Supper." In the evening the sermon was from the words in Corinthians, "Now we know only in part." The drift of the sermon went to illustrate the limited extent of human knowledge, even of the material world, and the still narrower horizon that bounds man's vision and understanding in regard to spiritual things. Many passages of the discourse were eloquent, and the thoughts presented were elaborated and illustrated in a very appropriate manner.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

At this church Elder Haynes preached morning and evening, to large audiences. In the evening he chose for his subject "Moral and Positive Law," and delivered an able discourse of about 40 minutes in length, which was listened to with close attention by his audience.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

The rector officiated and in the morning preached from Matthew, 5—9. It being All-Saints Day the sermon was appropriate to the occasion.

In the evening the discourse was from Luke 14—18, "And they all with one consent began to make excuse." The speaker noticed the excuses offered by many persons as a reason for not commencing a Christian life, and also showed the inconsistency of all such excuses.

STAPP'S CHAPEL.

This pulpit was occupied by the pastor, who preached greatly to the acceptance of his congregation, morning and evening, on both of which occasions was a good congregation.

At the close of the Sunday School in the afternoon a few friends, in company with Dr. Stevenson, went to the residence of Mr. Haskell, opposite the Chapel, and united in a sacramental service with Mrs Haskell, who is lying very low with consumption. The service was deeply impressive and solemn.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Rev. Mr. Bonham, the pastor, officiated both morning and evening, and as usual edified his audience with good practical sermons. The congregation, both morning and evening, was large, and deeply attentive.

A FULL vote to-morrow means a Republican victory, of the old-fashioned kind. Turn out, then, in full force. Let every vote be polled.

DEMOCRATS, are you willing to trust a man who, like James H. Pickrell, tells one kind of a story to catch Republican votes, and another kind to tickle the other side? What reliance can you place in a man who stands with one foot on the specie horse and the other on the greenback cow?

THE President has issued his proclamation designating Thursday, the 26th day of November, as a day of Thanksgiving.

OUR county ticket is an unexceptional one. Vote for Jennings and Givler.—Both are worthy and competent men.

This is the way the *Southern Cross* of Marksville, Louisiana, paints the hour of oppression. It is the most pathetic voice that has yet come from down-trodden Democracy. It is little short of a wail. It says:

"At this solemn hour, when the cloud which darkens our land is resonant with bellowing thunder and quivers with the lightnings which are quickening in its womb."

If this don't finish Republicanism in the South, it will live forever. We feel sorry for the *Cross*, and hope the General Government will soon grant it a safe deliverance.—*Republic.*

The Clinton *Public* says:

"We have cheering news from different parts of the county, to the effect that a large number of Republicans in the several townships who voted last year with the farmers' party, will vote this year the straight Republican ticket. They have got their eyes open, and now see that at the back of the great reform party the Democratic wire-pullers stand out in great prominence."

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.

[Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.]

More Third Term Gossip.

Serious Riot by Firemen.

The Estimates for the Coming Year.

THEY ARE TEN MILLIONS LESS THAN LAST YEAR.

Illinois Political News.

MURDER IN A BAGNIO

JACKSONVILLE, ILL., Nov. 1.—As the election draws near the excitement increases, and bids fair to reach fever heat on Tuesday next. In this Congressional District the contest will be close between Judge Simpson, Republican, and Wm. Springer, Democrat, with the chances rather in favor of Simpson. The district gave nearly a thousand Democratic majority two years years; but with Judge Simpson's great popularity, and Springer's record as an officer of the Knights of the Golden Circle during the war, his bitter denunciations of the Germans in past years, and great personal unpopularity, his majority may and probably will be overcome, and Simpson have a handsome majority.

Turner, Independent Reformer, will get but a few votes, and is not considered in the race.

The county Republican ticket of Morgan county will, it is generally believed by Republicans, be elected.

Hon. John Gordon, Republican, will certainly be re-elected to the lower house of the Legislature.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—Enough is now known of the character of the annual estimates to show that they will be more than ten millions less than for the last year. The estimates, both for public works under the Engineer Bureau and those under the Treasury, are very much reduced. The cost of the Navy remains about the same, while the army, in some of its supplies, was cut below its real necessities at the last session. Secretary Belknap has regulated his estimates strictly in accordance with law. Treasury estimates have been framed exactly upon what the House gave in its last appropriation. The cost of the Indian service will not be diminished. The deficiency in the Post office Department will be increased, owing to the rapid extension and added facilities. As a total result, however, the reductions are, as stated something over ten millions.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—Those who have the best opportunity of knowing, say that the President's letter, published to-day, and addressed to the editor of the Cincinnati *Gazette*, although referring to his second term, expresses his views as to a third term. Permission to publish this letter was considered the only means, compatible with his sense of propriety, of making known the position which he now occupies.

President Grant has sent a congratulatory note to the Emperor of Russia in response to a letter announcing the marriage of the Grand Duke Vladimer Alexandrourtch and the Duchess Mecklenburg Schwerin.

POTTSVILLE, PA., Nov. 1.—Last night several stables were burned in Mahony City, and after the fire was subdued a dispute arose among the members of the various Fire Companies, which ended in a riot. Pistols, billies, and all kinds of available weapons were freely used. Geo. Mayo, Chief of the Burgess, was shot and is now lying in a critical condition, the ball entering near his heart. Daniel Dougherty, who it is thought shot Mayo, was shot in the neck by Wm. Mayo and dangerously wounded. Others were injured, and the excitement throughout the town runs high.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 1.—The Secretary of the Treasury directed the Assistant Treasurer at New York to sell half a million dollars each Thursday during the month of November; the aggregate amount will be $2,000,000.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 1.—A *Gazette* Dayton special says that in a house of prostitution last night, in a quarrel arising from jealousy, a photographer named Smaller shot Wm. Slusson dead and wounded Charlie Carpenter who is dying to-night from the effects of the wounds. Smaller was a railroad man.

SPEAKER PAYNE of DeWitt county, pounded the Democracy in a terrible manner, last Friday evening, at the court house. He said they were rotten and stunk. And yet this fellow is canvassing the district in the interests of Pickrell, who with one foot upon the Independent platform and the other upon the platform of the Democracy seeks the support of both factions to send him to Congress. How much good Pickrell's servant, Payne, will accomplish by this mode of addressing those whose votes he asks will be made manifest next Tuesday. It is certain that a number of good honest Democrats who heard this speech felt highly insulted by his allusions to their adopted party; and we feel safe in saying that the piebald ticket will fail in getting their votes.—*Urbana Republican.*

Cheney Brothers best Black Gros Grain Silk [illegible] per yard, at LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Call and see our fall goods. J. R. RACE & Co.

You can Buy at Wessels a fine pair of Ladies' Gaiters for $1.50. Call and examine before you buy at cost. [aug7-dtf

New Advertisements.

BRUSHES! We keep in stock the largest stock and variety of Hair, Cloth and Tooth Brushes in the West, at New York prices.

GERTS, LUMBARD & CO., BRUSH MANUFACTURERS, 167 Madison Street, Chicago.

METROPOLITAN HOTEL! STATE AND WASHINGTON STS., CHICAGO. (Site of old St. James Hotel.) $2.50 PER DAY. IRA T. SWIFT and JNO. E. ROWLAND, Proprietors. The most centrally located Hotel in Chicago (opposite Marshall Field, Leiter & Co.)

To Gas Consumers. The undersigned would respectfully call your attention to PARSON'S PATENT GAS GOVERNOR for single burners. It regulates and controls the gas as perfectly as a large governor placed upon the meter. WILL not blow any gas from or street lamp, and will save from 20 to 60 per cent. over any other burner now in use, and give a more satisfactory light. Also, meter governors of superior quality supplied to the trade. Agents wanted wherever gas is used. Good inducements offered. Office, 151 Fifth avenue, Chicago, Ill. A. PARSONS. October 31-d&w1w

THE CHICAGO LEDGER. THE CHEAPEST AND BEST PAPER IN THE COUNTRY. $1.50 PER ANNUM. Unexcelled by any Weekly Literary Publication, East or West. CANVASSERS WANTED IN EVERY TOWN IN THE UNITED STATES. The most Liberal Premiums and Club Rates ever offered by any newspaper. Write for a Circular containing full information, etc. Specimen copies furnished on application. Address THE LEDGER COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL. October 31—d&w1w.

NEW STORE! NEW FIRM! NEW GOODS!

H. B. LEWIS, (formerly with H. B. Lewis & Bro.) JAS. MILLIGAN, (formerly with Milligan & Skelley.)

Lewis & Milligan DEALERS IN Groceries and Provisions, Second Door West of the Post-Office, DECATUR, ILL.

WE INVITE ALL OUR FRIENDS TO give us a call, as we positively can make it to their interest to buy of us.

We buy low and are prepared to give LOW FIGURES!

To our customers. The highest market price paid for Country Produce!

Goods delivered free to all parts of the city. All calls attended to promptly. LEWIS & MILLIGAN. [Oct 2-d&w1w

GARDNER HOUSE! CHICAGO. PRICES REDUCED. C. H. BISSELL, formerly proprietor of the Matteson House, and late of the Fountain Spring House, Waukesha, Wis., has assumed the management of the Gardner, and would be pleased to see his old friends and the travelling public. Terms from $3 to $3 50 per day, according to location of rooms.

RICHARDS & GOOCH, Commission and Wholesale Dealers in BUTTER & CHEESE, Cranberries, Potatoes, Apples, Beans, &c., 181 SOUTH WATER Street, CHICAGO.

THE GRAND BOUNCE TO HIGH PRICES. Conn. Cigars, $2.50 and $3.00 per Box. Havanas, $4.00 and $5.00 per Box. The CHEAPEST and BEST in the market. We ship goods subject to a thorough inspection in the hands of express agents. No charge for freight on 10 or more boxes. VAN RENSSELEAR & MANN, Nos. 9, 11, and 13, Wabash ave., Chicago.

California Wines and Brandies. We offer Pure Grape Brandies from $2.00 to $3.50 per gal. Pure Port, Angelica, and Sherry Wines, $1.50 to $2.50. Read Mr. Carpenter's certificate: M. M. SMITH & Co., Wholesale Liquor Dealers, 12 State Street, Chicago. DIAMOND SPRINGS, Cal., Sept. 15, 1874. I hereby certify that I have sold to M. M. Smith & Co., of Chicago, my crop of pure Brandies of the vintage of '69, '72 & '73, distilled by myself from grapes; also a large quantity of pure Wines of my own make. C. G. CARPENTER.

F. J. RUTH'S SQUARE BRAND OYSTERS. Fresh and Salt Water Fish Depot, 155 DEARBORN St., CHICAGO. For FRESHNESS, FLAVOR, FULLNESS OF CANS, and PRICES, the SQUARE BRAND is unequalled by any goods in this market. Country orders promptly attended to. A. L. GIBSON, Western Agent. October 19-d1w.

We have the largest and most complete stock of Goods that we have ever had, and are daily receiving novelties in the way of DRESS GOODS, NOTIONS and FANCY GOODS, all at lower prices than you can find elsewhere. Call and see us.

Hays & Bruce. October 23, 1874-dawtf.

DRY GOODS.

S. EINSTEIN'S

New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods has arrived, and is opened and ready for the inspection of the Public.

His Stock consists of a complete line of Dress Goods, Silks, Flannels, Jeans, Cassimeres, Domestics, Shawls, Blankets and Bed Quilts. Also a full line of Ladies and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

We have also added a full line of GERMANTOWN YARNS.

We are also Agents for the celebrated New Brand EXPOSITION ALPACA, to which we especially invite the Attention of the Ladies. Don't forget the place,

No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET. Decatur, September 15, 1871-dtf

A. T. HILL, Pres't. D. S. SHELLABARGER, Vice Pres't. J. P. MOORE, Cashier.

THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK, DECATUR, ILL.

PAID UP CAPITAL, - - - $100,000.00

DEPOSITS RECEIVED.

Collections and all business connected with general and legitimate banking, will receive prompt attention. Exchange bought and sold; first-class paper discounted at lowest rates.

Money to Loan at Strictly 10 per cent.

STOCKHOLDERS: A. T. Hill, W. B. Mann, W. T. Sylvester, J. W. Routh, W. C. Johns, D. S. Shellabarger, F. W. Race, Col. W. H. Harris, C. J. Barrackman, Eli Brenneman, Thomas Hays, Wm. Bowers, D. W. Brenneman, Peter D. Kline, Samuel Anderson, James F. Montgomery, Isaac C. Lake, John Shellabarger, N. A. White, A. J. Gallagher, Jerome Anderson. [Oct24-dawtf.

NEW STORE! NEW GOODS!

WM. F. DONALDSON, Having Opened a VARIETY STORE —AT— NO. 10 MERCHANT STREET, Invites the public to call and see his stock of Toys, Fancy Articles, Books, Stationery, Willow Ware, Etc., Etc.

WILL SELL CHEAP FOR CASH. October 14, 1874—daw-tf.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS, MANUFACTURERS OF CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, OMNIBUSES, PEDDLING AND SPRING WAGONS. OLD STAND OF DANIEL GAHMAN, Corner Water and Cerro Gordo-Sts.

PLATFORM CARRIAGES built to order, PONY PHAETONS, PRINCE ALBERTS, PIANO and COAL BOX BUGGIES, SULKY and LIGHT ROAD WAGONS, of all kinds. Always up to the times, and guarantee all work to be first-class. All kinds of Sleighs Made to Order! FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY. November 17, 1873. d&w-3m.

The Daily Republican. DECATUR, ILLINOIS: Monday Evening, Nov.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be d... ed to subscribers in any part of the c... Twenty Cents per Week.

Local Notices will be inserted at Ten... per line for the first insertion, and fi... per line for each subsequent insertion; ... for time. Advertisements will be fur... upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBE... Subscriptions to the DAILY R... LICAN will be collected every Satur... the places where the paper is delivere... less otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if ... scribers would inform the carrier a... particular places they desire their pa... be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Superior the weather.

Anxious—Candidates for offic...

Milk and silk is coming in ...

Try that self-rising buckwhea... at Imboden's.

A large number of farmers in... to-day.

Election to-morrow—in vi... which jugs and decanters are being...

The innocent oyster is gobbl... with avidity these frosty nights.

Go to Neidermyer's for a supe... article of baking powder.

The melodious strains of the ... grinder are heard in the land.

Kitchen has all brands ... and coffees at bottom figures.

The ... are all well att... yesterday.

For choice sugar-cured ham ... dried beef go to J. Ullrich & Co.'s.

Livery rigs will not have ... more run this year. It's getting to ... take drives.

Andy Kepler is still turning ... large quantities of those cigars that ... Dickes so well.

Persons desiring reserved sea... the entertainment Friday evening ... obtain them, without extra charg... Abbott's. Don't fail to go, as the ... bekahs promise a rich treat, and the c... is charity.

J. J. Davis & Co. has a full li... slates and other goods for school ... dren.

E. B. Pratt & Son have a fresh l... choice butter.

That superb stock of boots and sh... at V. Barber & Co.'s, is attracting ... attention and excites the admiratio... all who take the pains to examine ... Such an endless variety of women's ... children's shoes and slippers is sel... seen. Their stock of goods for m... wear is always complete and full. 29-d&w 1w

The Question Answered—"How ... & Scruggs employ so many salesmen ... sell goods cheap." They keep the l... est stock of dry goods in Decatur—... retail more goods than any other ... Goods House in the United States ... cording to population, and their expe... are *less* in proportion to sales. Bes... they are thus enabled to buy mo... their goods of first hands and by ... case and package, which gives t... great advantage over small dealers. jun 2-d&wly

If you want a splendid suit, ca... 13-dtf RACE

Heaven's First Law is Order.—R... larity in eating, sleeping and exer... and abstinence from such dangerous ... tants as alcohol and tobacco, tend t... cure a long and healthful life. But ... a strict observance of these whole... rules will not always avert sickness. ... best safeguard against epidemic ... other diseases is DR. WALKER'S C... FORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, which, ... promoting a regular and vigorous ac... of the digestive, secretive and exc... organs, keep the body in the best p... ble condition for resisting and repe... the causes of disease. [24-d&w

Remember, goods are cheap, at 13-dtf RACE

For Several Years numerous ex... ments have been making for burning ... soft coal successfully in a self-fee... magazine stove, that would require ... fire to be built but once during the ... son, and one in which fire could be ... from ten to thirty-six hours, withou... plenishing. Some of these experim... have proven partially successful, ... none a perfect success, excepting ... invention of the "OMAHA." We ne... this stove is for sale by CLOSE & G... WOLD.

Games.—The largest assortment ... Games for children and grown pe... ever shown in the city, at LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S 26-3taw.

Self-Evident.—If two cans are of ... same size and both full it is self-... dent that one contains as much by m... ure as the other, although one be ... filled with heavy substances may we... many ounces more than the other. N... as Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powde... put up in cans as large, and hold ... much by measure as other kinds, an... baking powder is used by measure ... spoonfuls), and not by weight, if all ... of the same strength, one would g... far as the other; but as Dr. Price's ... effective, by using two teaspoonful... most kinds are with three, then it is ... evident that there is one-third save... using his powder. Housewives will ... that aside from its excellence and he... fulness that two cans of Dr. Price ... equal to three cans the same size of ... weighty kinds. A trial will prove ... and also that Dr. Price's True Fl... ing Extracts are the most natural ... delicate flavors made.

gest and
tock of
ve ever
aily re-
in the
GOODS,
FANCY
wer pri-
nd else-
see us.
ruce.

ODS.
IN'S
Goods has ar-
y for the in-
plete line of
Jeans, Cassi-
kets and Bed
es' and Gents'
ine of GER-
elebrated New
CA, to which
ntion of the
e,
STREET.

J. P. MOORE, Cashier.
NAL BANK,
$100,000.00
VED.
ultimate banking, will to-
lowest rates.
0 per cent.
Lucas C. Lake,
John Shellabarger,
N. A. White,
A. J. Gallagher,
Jerome Anderson,
[Oct21-daw tf.

GOODS!
SON,
TORE
TREET,
stock of
s, Station-
, Etc.
CASH.

WORKS!
ERS,
NIBUSES,
WAGONS.
HMAN,
Cordo-Sts.
PRINCE ALLERTS,
AD WAGONS, of all
-class. All kinds of
der!
IALTY.

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Monday Evening, Nov. 2.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at *Twenty Cents per Week.*

Local Notices will be inserted at *Ten Cents* per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

☞ Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the places where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.

☞ We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

..Superb—the weather.

..Anxious—Candidates for office.

..Mush and milk is coming in vogue.

..Try that self-rising buckwheat flour at Imboden's.

..A large number of farmers in town to-day.

..Election to-morrow—in view of which jugs and decanters are being filled.

..The innocent oyster is gobbled up with avidity these frosty nights.

..Go to Neidermyer's for a superb article of baking powder.

..The melodious strains of the organ grinder are heard in the land.

..W. C. Kitchen has all brands of tea and coffee at bottom figures.

..The churches were all well attended yesterday.

..For choice sugar-cured ham and dried beef go to J. Ullrich & Co.'s.

..Livery rigs will not have much more run this year. It's getting too cold to take drives.

..Andy Kepler is still turning out large quantities of those cigars that everybody likes so well.

..Persons desiring reserved seats to the entertainment Friday evening, can obtain them without extra charge at Abbott's. Don't fail to go, as the Rebekahs promise a rich treat, and the cause is charity.

..I. J. Davis & Co. has a full line of slates and other goods for school children.

..E. B. Pratt & Son have a fresh lot of choice butter.

..That superb stock of boots and shoes, at V. Barber & Co.'s, is attracting much attention and excites the admiration of all who take the pains to examine it.—Such an endless variety of women's and children's shoes and slippers is seldom seen. Their stock of goods for men's wear is always complete and full.

29-d&w tw

The Question Answered—"How Linn & Scruggs employ so many salesmen and sell goods cheap." They keep the largest stock of dry goods in Decatur—they retail more goods than any other Dry Goods House in the United States, according to population, and their expenses are *less* in proportion to sales. Besides they are thus enabled to buy most of their goods of first hands and by the case and package, which gives them great advantage over small dealers.

jun 2-d&w1y

If you want a splendid suit, call at 13-dtf RACE'S.

Heaven's First Law is Order.—Regularity in eating, sleeping and exercise, and abstinence from such dangerous irritants as alcohol and tobacco, tend to secure a long and healthful life. But even a strict observance of these wholesome rules will not always avert sickness. The best safeguard against epidemic and other diseases is DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS, which, by promoting a regular and vigorous action of the digestive, secretive and excretive organs, keep the body in the best possible condition for resisting and repelling the causes of disease. [24-d&w 4w

Remember, goods are cheap, at 13-dtf RACE'S.

For Several Years numerous experiments have been making for burning our soft coal successfully in a self-feeding magazine stove, that would require the fire to be built but once during the season, and one in which fire could be kept from ten to thirty-six hours, without replenishing. Some of these experiments have proven partially successful, but none a perfect success, excepting the invention of the "OMAHA." We notice this stove is for sale by CLOSE & GRISWOLD. tf

Games.—The largest assortment of Games for children and grown people ever shown in the city, at LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S.

26-3taw

Self-Evident.—If two cans are of the same size and both full it is self-evident that one contains as much by measure as the other, although one being filled with heavy substances may weigh many ounces more than the other. Now, as Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder is put up in cans as large, and hold as much by measure as other kinds, and as baking powder is used by measure (teaspoonfuls), and not by weight, if all were of the same strength, one would go as far as the other; but as Dr. Price's is as effective, by using two teaspoonfuls as most kinds are with three, then it is self-evident that there is one-third saved in using his powder. Housewives will find that aside from its excellence and healthfulness that two cans of Dr. Price's is equal to three cans the same size of the weighty kinds. A trial will prove this, and also that Dr. Price's True Flavoring Extracts are the most natural and delicate flavors made.

REPUBLICAN MASS MEETING.

Last Rally of the Campaign—Able and Convincing Speech by Hon. Joseph G. Cannon.

The fact that Mr. Cannon was to speak at the Court House on Saturday evening, was not known until late on Friday, but notwithstanding the brief notice a large audience assembled at the appointed hour. The meeting was called to order by Capt. Lytle, the chairman of the county central committee, upon whose motion Hon. Job A. Race was called to the chair.

The chairman said he regarded it as a distinguished honor to be called upon to preside at a meeting of this kind, particularly as he was a citizen of another town, and went on to say that he took pleasure in introducing to the audience a man who had served them faithfully in the National Congress during the past two years, and who was certain to represent them for the two years next ensuing, and announced as the speaker of the evening Hon. J. G. Cannon.

Mr. C. prefaced his remarks by some allusion to the canvass which he made in 1872, and spoke of the majority by which he was then elected, and said that, as his Republican friends had again decided to cast their votes for him as their next Congressman, it was due to them that he should give his views upon the leading questions and issues which enter into the present campaign, and this he did in a clear and succinct manner which could leave no doubt upon any mind as to where he stood, and, as would seem to us, so clearly set forth the real issues involved that no fair-minded man could misapprehend them.

He alluded to the charges made by the Independent Reformers, and their blowers and strikers, that he was a salary-grabber, and so completely answered the charge as to convince all who heard him that, on the part of the leaders of this movement, the charge is a foul, malicious lie, told to deceive those who may not be posted in regard to the matter.

He then took up the question of the national finances, and discussed it in a clear and lucid manner, giving the theories held by the different factions respectively, and commenting in an able manner upon each theory in detail. He then gave his own views upon the question, and supported them by logical and convincing arguments, so that we believe every person who heard him fully endorsed the views of the speaker and were ready to say that is precisely what we western people want. He alluded to the fact of his opponent (Mr. Pickrell) standing with one foot on a hard money, and the other on a soft money platform, and expressed the opinion that if he (Pickrell) should be elected, and attempt to redeem the pledges he had made to the holders of these opposing views the straddling operation to which he would be subjected would divide him in twain.

Mr. Cannon also discussed at length the transportation question, and the civil rights bill, in such a way as to leave no doubt in the minds of his hearers concerning his position upon those two topics, and his remarks met with a hearty response from the audience. He dealt in no ambiguous language, but fairly and honestly stated his position in words that could not be mistaken.

The address of Mr. Cannon occupied about two hours in its delivery, and held the closest attention of the audience to its close. Mr. C., though not an orator, viewed from the spread eagle standpoint, states his propositions plainly and supports them by arguments that are unanswerable, and what particularly commends him to the support of all honest people, is the fact that on all questions he puts his foot square down, with no attempt at double dealing, or endeavor to stand upon two platforms at the same time.

We believe that all who listened to Mr. C. on Saturday evening, went away with the conviction upon their minds that he is the right man to represent the people of the 14th congressional district for the next two years. During the past two years he has been not only an honest but a faithful representative,—he not having been absent from his seat a single day when Congress was in session, or missed a vote upon any question which was during that time acted upon by the House. A fidelity to duty so marked as this will be appreciated by Mr. Cannon's constituents, and they will, by their votes on to-morrow, say to him, "Well done." Let not the friends of the Republican cause be content with giving so faithful a public servant a bare majority, but let every man work with a will, and roll up a majority at the polls that will indicate plainly that the people have a heart to appreciate, and a will to reward a public servant who is faithful to the trust committed to his charge.

A Lot of Good Cider Barrels for sale cheap, at 2-2d MILLER'S CONFECTIONERY.

Making Improvements.—A large portion of the farmers living on the prairies northwest of the city have disposed of the best part of their grain, and with the surplus money they now have on hand they are building improvements all over their farms. New large barns, granaries and tenement houses are to be seen almost everywhere. A large force of carpenters from this city is now busily engaged in that vicinity building up these improvements and making others. A carpenter who has been employed there during the past season was heard to say that he did not expect they could finish their work there much before Christmas.

A Full Assortment of Inkstands, and all kinds of office stationery, at LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S.

2-2-d&w1

SUICIDE OF AN OLD MAN AT MAROA

A well-dressed, fine looking old gent, apparently about 60 or 65 years of age, went to Chanron's boarding house in Maroa, Friday evening, and asked for lodgings. On finding that he could remain for the night, the strange old man quietly seated himself on a chair in the office until bed time. He did not register his name, and was

SILENT AND MOROSE,

carefully avoiding all unnecessary conversation, and seemed to be buried in his own thoughts. The landlord, however, thought nothing of this, and when it became bed time he showed the strange old fellow up to his room and bade him "good night."

In the morning the stranger did not get up, although he was called enough to awaken any sleeper. At last a member of the household passing the door

HEARD GROANS IN THE ROOM,

and called the landlord, who, in company with several excited villagers, went up and entered the room, where they found the old man writhing in great agony.—Questions were put to him by the landlord, but the only thing he said was, "I have another of those spells." He was deaf to all other questioning and remained sullen—not answering another word. When asked if he wanted a doctor, he shook his head as a negative answer, and then remained still. The landlord, seeing that

DEATH WAS APPROACHING,

hurriedly sent for Dr. Axton, who answered the summons, and was soon after at the dying man's side. The doctor saw at a glance that the man was beyond reviving, and soon saw death relieve him of his suffering. The old man died with a smile of satisfaction on his face. It was evident to all present that he had suicided.

A DISPATCH

was soon afterwards sent to Coroner Givler, who went up to Maroa on the freight at half past three o'clock. Arriving there, the coroner soon summoned a jury, which gave the following decision:

We, the jury summoned and sworn by the coroner of Macon county, Ill., to hold an inquest over the dead body of an unknown man, at the public house of J. P. Obanyon, in Maroa, agree that he came to his death by taking strychnine, administered by his own hands, this 31st day of Oct., 1874.

The man's clothes were searched for a book, handkerchief, or any little trifle which might give his name or place of his residence. Nothing containing his name could be found on his person. There was found, however, a new note-book, which contained a piece of blank paper, on which was written the name of

MRS. WHEELER, SULLIVAN, ILL.

A star made with Indian ink was pitted in the skin on his left breast. Whether this name and mark will suffice to identify the man remains to be seen.

The coroner gave the corpse in the hands of an undertaker, who buried it in Maroa.

Hair Goods, just received, by Miss Lizzie Coddington, at No. 10, Water st. Oct. 31-3d

Hallow E'en has passed, and the work of mischievous youngsters may be seen in all parts of the city. Wagons, buggies, old sleighs and everything that came in their way were turned over by the different bands of little mischiefs who infested the city Saturday night, determined on having what they called "fun." In many places gates were taken from their hinges and carried several blocks away. All wagons and vehicles of all kinds which were left out doors were taken blocks, and in some instances even a quarter of a mile away. One band of these little mischief-makers, which was organized in the western part of the city, was overtaken in its wild career while drawing off a heavy wagon, by the enraged owner, who yelled at the boys, and pressed his pursuit with such vigor that the youngsters had to abandon the wagon and make their escape as best they could. The band was re-organized and again started out for "revenge" on this man, but he was on the alert with a big blacksnake whip, with which he made his appearance just as they were preparing to take his wagon away again. The band was immediately scattered, and several of the members almost broke their necks in their attempt to escape.—Several now go limping around, and we think have paid rather dearly for their night's fun.

New Games—Dice Croquet, Portrait Authors, Society, American History, Avilude, &c., at 2-daw2w LITSINBERGER & SUTTON'S.

Stock Wintering.—Many farmers in Decatur's vicinity don't much like the small price which is now paid for cattle, and say they will keep and feed them until the price again goes up to a fair standard. Some stock men are taking advantage of the low price in cattle and are buying up large droves, confident that the prices will soon go up, when they can make a good profit for feeding the stock a month or so longer. On the prairie northwest of the city one stock dealer is now feeding several hundred head of stock. The fattest of the large herd are selected out every few days and shipped eastward. This dealer expects to ship east all that he has left Christmas.

Cash Paid for Cast-off Clothing, at No. 36 East Main street, 3rd door east of Water street. Also, cutting, repairing and scouring. [17-d1m

MARRIED.

On the 1st inst., at the Antioch Baptist Church, (colored), by Rev. J. C. Bonham, MR. WILLIAM HOLLAND and MISS SARAH A. HOWARD, both of Decatur.

A COLD-BLOODED MURDER!

How an Old Man and his Son Killed a Neighbor in a Fit of Rage.

[illegible] morning, this morning at about 7 o'clock, Jim Adams, an old man about 50 years of age, in company with his son and a hired hand, went over to the residence of a neighbor by the name of John Staub, to get [illegible] from [illegible] pens and drive them home. Staub was present and a quarrel sprung up between the parties which ended in young Adams picking up a heavy oak board and striking Staub over the head with it. The blow was enough to have knocked down an ox, and the Drs. say the man would have died had he received no further injuries. The elder Adams thought this was not sufficient, and called out in a tone of command to his son to "Strike and kill the d—d Dutchman." The son carried out the command of his father to the letter. He dealt "the Dutchman" another heavy blow which sent him to eternity.

He was picked up soon afterwards by some of his friends, who carried him to his house, and then dispatched messengers to Decatur for physicians. Dr. E. W. Stout was first at the house, but he made no examination of the man's skull as he knew he was dead. Shortly afterwards Drs. W. J. and Cass Chenoweth went to the house, and after a short examination saw that the skull had been mashed in near the left ear and near the crown of the head. They say that Staub must have died instantly after receiving the second blow.

Coroner Givler left for Staub's house this morning for the purpose of holding an inquest over the body.

We learn from a farmer living in that vicinity that Staub had frequently remonstrated with Adams for allowing his cattle to run in his (Staub's) fields. Finding that this had no effect, Staub came into Decatur and was advised by a Justice of the Peace to pen up the cattle.—He acted on this advice, and thinking himself, to be in the right, refused to let the cattle loose, when young Adams, at the instigation of his father, killed the man.

THE ARREST AND IMPRISONMENT.

The old man and his son rested in apparent security, believing that Staub was only "possuming" death, but a short time before Marshal Haworth came upon them, Rev. Mr. Ewing, of this city, had told them that their victim had died.—Then there was weeping and wailing to be heard in Adams' household among the women and children, and preparations for a flight were being made when the Marshal came and put them under arrest. Knowing that resistance would be useless the old man, his son and the hired hand were all brought before a Decatur justice. Here they waived an examination and were commited to jail to await a preliminary trial on Wednesday, November 4.

"Lit Out."—On Thursday of last week a stranger claiming to be a jeweler, called at the Franklin House on Cerro Gordo street, and engaged board for a few days. Being a little short of cash, he proposed to do any work in his line that might be needed, by any one about the house.—Accordingly Mrs. Smith, the proprietress, gave him a watch worth about $25, to be cleaned and regulated, and some one else gave him a gold locket to be repaired, all of which he had in his room. On yesterday morning the fellow was missing, and it was found, upon examination, that he had taken with him the property which had been entrusted to him for repairs. He left an old valise containing a few old clothes which were good for nothing. No clue to his whereabouts has yet been obtained.

Discharged.—Dr. Hoffman, who was tried before Justice Baker on the charge of bastardy Saturday, was discharged by the Justice, as there was nothing in the evidence pointing to his guilt.

Burglary in Long Creek.—The house of some man, living near Long Creek Station, on the I. & I. C. R. R., was entered last night and quite a quantity of clothing taken. Seventy-five cents in money was also taken from the pocket of a pair of pants.

Betting on the election is now at its height. The wagers are in most cases about even, but each party is so confident of the election of its candidate that its members keep wagering large sums of money. A number of people will be badly fooled, and considerable money will change hands when the official returns are made known.

Powers, Ferris & Co. manufacture the best Boots and Shoes in Decatur.

Real Hair Switches, just received, by Miss Lizzie Coddington, at No. 10, Water street. 31-3d

THE editor of the *Magnet and Tribune* of Decatur has been trying to deny that he has said that Pickrell has too little calibre to represent this district in congress. The editor of the Champaign *Times* to whom he told it, now comes out and re-affirms what has been said in the matter. With the editor of one reform paper acknowledging that their candidate has not capacity for the position, with another in a county just east of Macon, convicted of endeavoring to sell out to the Republican party, and with still another in a county just east of Piatt, who sold out to the liberals two years ago for twelve hundred dollars, it must seem that the independent reformers are hard up for organ grinders. But then, perhaps the organs are no better and no worse than the party, and so do not merit very severe censure.—*Piatt Herald.*

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Daniel B. Linsted and wife, formerly Miss Emma Emmons, are registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

Divinity was well represented at the depot to-day by the presence of Elders Buck and Prentiss, and Rev. Mr. De Wolf.

Dr. Chanon, the popular surgeon, from Chicago Saturday evening, where he has been spending a month or more in the prosecution of his business.

[illegible] Hirt, of the firm of Burroughs & Co., and foreman of the Union Iron Works, has returned from Erie, Pennsylvania, whither he went several weeks ago, for his health. Mr. Hirt has improved in health by his trip, and resumes his duties as foreman, feeling much better than formerly.

A [illegible] was given Dr. [illegible] Stallsmeyer, Esq., and wife, presented to Rev. Dr. Stevenson, their Pastor, a magnificent gold-headed cane. It is one of the finest articles of the kind we have ever seen.

First-class Boots and Shoes made by Powers, Ferriss & Co.

THE IMPROVED NEW STYLE "DUBUQUE" FOR 1874, IS THE BEST AND HANDSOMEST SELF-FEEDING, BASE-HEATING STOVE IN THE MARKET. FOR SALE ONLY BY MOREHOUSE & WELLS.

13-d1m

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-d1m

Wessels is closing out his summer stock of boots and shoes at greatly reduced prices. He is not selling at cost, but is selling a better article for less money than the cost shoe stores. Call and see for yourself. This is the only way to find out, and don't pay full price for old shop worn goods that are out of style, when you can buy good fashionable goods at a fair price. [aug4-dtf

Clothing and Piece Goods, cheaper than since 1860, at oct 13-dtf MARBLE HALL.

Try that Superb Java Coffee, just received by Samuel & Co., at the Rolling Mill Grocery. jul31-dtf

Now we are ready with our new fall stock of gents', ladies', misses' and children's boots, shoes and overshoes, for retail. Call and see the new styles. Oct 16-dtf POWERS, FERRISS & CO.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches.

A Heavier Stock of Goods than ever before, at RACE'S. [13-dtf

Union Temperance Prayer Meeting—on Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, at Stapp's Chapel. Temperance prayer meeting as usual on Thursday afternoon, same time and place as heretofore.

By order of the COMMITTEE.

Hats, Caps, Gloves and ready-made Clothing—an immense stock, at 13-dtf RACE'S.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.

Circuit Court of Macon County, December term, A. D. 1874.

Catherine E. Boswell and Irvin Hopinger, Samuel Hoping, R. H. Meriweather, Charles D. Camp, Marietta D. Hazen and Pressy Hazen.

IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit that the residence of Marietta D. Hazen and Pressy Hazen, defendants above named, cannot, upon diligent inquiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Marietta D. Hazen and Pressy Hazen that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next, A. D. 1874.

Now, unless you, the said Marietta D. Hazen and Pressy Hazen, shall be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D. 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainants' bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

W. C. JOHNS, Compl't's Sol's.
Decatur, Oct. 26, 1874-d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County:

In the Circuit Court, December Term, A. D. 1874.

Louisa Thornburg vs. John T. Thornburg.

IN CHANCERY—BILL FOR DIVORCE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That a certain suit is now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, State of Illinois, on the Chancery side of said court, wherein Louisa Thornburg is plaintiff, and John T. Thornburg is defendant, and that summons has issued in said cause returnable to the first day of the next term of said court, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said Macon county, on the

1st MONDAY OF DECEMBER NEXT,

and that unless you, the said defendant, John T. Thornburg, then and there appear and plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill, the same and the matters therein contained will be taken pro confesso, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

Oct. 26, 1874. E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

E. PARK, Complainant's Solicitor.
Oct. 27-dtd

ADAMS HOUSE,
FOOT OF LAKE STREET,
Opposite Union Depot. CHICAGO.

THE ADAMS HOUSE, SO POPULAR before the destruction by the great fire of 1871, has been rebuilt, and is now open to the public. It is newly furnished in a substantial and comfortable manner, but without the ginger-bread ornamentation, which is so expensive in a hotel, and so useless to the comfort of its guests. The table will furnish wholesome food, well cooked; the beds will always be clean, and the proprietors will in all particulars maintain a home-like, comfortable, quiet, orderly and sensible house, at the popular price of $2,00 per day.

We respect the patronage of the travelling community, feeling sure that the general character of the house will give entire satisfaction. BLENIS & MURPHY, Prop's.
SAM'L F. HAWLEY, Manager. Oct.17-dtf.

BLANKETS,
FLANNELS,
SHAWLS,
CLOAKS,
FURS
LADIES' SUITS.

Linn & Scruggs

HAVE OPENED AN UNUSUALLY large stock of Blankets, Flannels, Shawls, Cloaks, Furs and Ladies' Suits, which were purchased entirely of the

Manufacturers,

thereby saving the jobbers' profit, which we propose to give to the

Consumers.

We have just received a large and elegant assortment of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,
AND
REPELLANTS.

We are Sole Agents for THE OLD DOMINION

BUCK GLOVES,

Buck Mitts and Buck Gauntlets, which is the BEST article of the kind in America. They are sewed by hand and are manufactured by a process known only to the maker. The price of these gloves is $2,00, and as greatly inferior gloves have been sold in this market as the Old Dominion Buck Gloves, we here state that none are *genuine* unless they bear the name of "*O. Ott, Woodstock, Va.*" on the inside.

We are Agents also for The Great Western White and Colored

CARPET WARP.

This Warp is put up expressly for us without regard to price, giving to the purchaser net weight, and the best and cheapest Warp in the United States.

We have selected our Fall and Winter stock with great care, both as to style and price, and can assure the public that our goods will be sold at the

Lowest Prices.

DRESS GOODS!

Linn & Scruggs

HAVE OPENED ONE OF THE MOST complete stocks of

Dress Fabrics

ever offered, comprising the latest and choicest

NOVELTIES

Serges,
Diagonals,
Camel's Hair Cloth,
Cashmeres,
French Merinoes,
Empress Cloth,
Silk Warp Mohairs,
Balernoes, &c.

We have just received a large stock of

The Peerless Alpacas And Mohairs,

which are superior to all other makes, for color, finish and durability.

We have also complete lines of the most celebrated

BLACK SILKS
AND
Black Silk Velvets

which we purchased directly of the IMPORTERS, and will sell them at greatly reduced rates.

We have special "Jobs" in

HAMBURG EDGINGS,
RIBBONS AND CORSETS

which we are prepared to sell lower than they have ever been offered in this market.

Oct. 1-d&wtf.

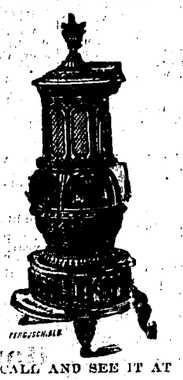
BUY BOOKS
—AT THE—
CITY BOOK STORE.

We have now the largest stock of
SCHOOL AND MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS,
Blank Books and Stationery ever shown in the City. Our stock of Pocket-Books, Games, Alphabet and Building Blocks,
PICTURE FRAMES AND NOTIONS
Is complete.
Call and examine our stock.
LITSINBERGER & SUTTON.

November 2, 1874—d&w2m.

"OMAHA!"

THE KING
Of all Stoves yet Invented
FOR SOFT COAL.



A Hot Blast, Self-Feeding, Base Burning Bituminous Coal Stove,
FOR PARLORS, STORES, OFFICES, &c.

CALL AND SEE IT AT

CLOSE & GRISWOLD'S

Sept. 29-d&wtf.

A Large Assortment
—OF—
COAL AND WOOD
HEATING STOVES,
AT VERY LOW PRICES,
AT LIDDLE'S.

NEW STYLES BIRD CAGES
Table Glassware,
Lamps & Chandeliers,
BELOW MARKET PRICE.

WHITE GRANITE QUEENSWARE!
A Large Assortment,
AT LIDDLE'S.

HEAVY TIN-WARE,
HEATING & COOK STOVES.
STOVE ZINC BOARDS.
Stoves put up at an hours' notice,
AT LIDDLE'S.

Sept. 19-dtf.

THE
GRAND PACIFIC HOTEL,
CHICAGO.

The only EMINENT Hotel in the country, meeting the conservative views of the public, by REDUCING RATES to

☞ $3.50 PER DAY!

GEO. W. GAGE and JOHN A. RICE, Proprietors.
Oct8-daw1w]

October 8, 1874-d1w.

AGENTS WANTED for the Centennial GAZETTEER OF THE United States. Showing the grand results of our first 100 Years. Immense sale; agents make $100 to $200 a month. Send for circular. Ziegler & McCurdy, Chicago, Ill. [octs-d4w

MONEY easily made by selling TEAS at Importers' prices or getting up clubs in towns and country for the oldest Tea Company in America.—Greatest inducements. Send for circular. CANTON TEA CO., 148 Chambers St., N. Y. October 8, 1874-d4w.

Winter is nearly here—prepare for it by getting your new clothes at 13-tf RACE'S.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE® www.newspaperarchive.com

The Daily Republican.

OFFICIAL.

STATE, COUNTY AND CITY DIRECTORY.

State Officers.

Governor.....J. L. Beveridge
Lieut Governor.....John Early
Secretary of State.....G. H. Harlow
Auditor of State.....C. E. Lippincott
State Treasurer.....Edward Rutz
Sup't Public Instruction.....Newton Bateman

Congressmen.

Senators...Richard J. Oglesby, John A. Logan
14th Dist.....J. G. Cannon

Legislators.

State Senators, 25th Dist...Michael Donahue
Representatives, 25th Dist.....William T. Moffett, Job A. Race, T. Lane

Judicial Officers.

Circuit Judge.....C. H. Smith
State's Attorney.....C. C. McComas
Clerk Circuit Court.....E. McClellan

County Officers.

County Judge.....S. F. Greer
County Clerk.....H. W. Waggoner
County Treasurer.....R. H. Park
Sheriff.....I. D. Jennings
Deputy.....Geo. M. Wood
Superintendent of Schools.....S. P. Nickey
County Surveyor.....Geo V. Loring
Coroner.....M. Y. Givler

City Officers.

Mayor.....Franklin Priest
Aldermen—1st ward Geo Stare, H W Wagoner
" 2d " ....O F McKim, L. F. Muzzy
" 3d " ....I W Ehrman, T. J. Abel
" 4th " J W Butman, J L Peake
" 5th " ....R N Mills, J P Leake
Register.....Geo. P. Hardy
Treasurer.....M. K. Hatch
Collector.....H. H. Brown
Attorney.....L. A. Buckingham
Marshal.....Jno. Haworth
Engineer & Sup't Water Works....S Burgess
Supervisor.....George Dempsey
Deputy Marshal.....Jos S Howes
Fire Department—Chief Engineer, Joseph Howes; 1st assistant, H. P. Christie; 2d assistant, D. F. Elwood.

BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE DECATUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.—Wm. L. Hammer, E. W. Moore, W H Harris and W. G. Johns; E. W. Moore, President; E. A. Gastman, Sup't and Clerk.

Decatur Township Officers.

Town Clerk.....Geo Goodnum
Assessor.....Fred J Smith
Collector.....J. H. H. Brown
Commissioners of Highways...A. J. Williams, Henry Cassell J. M. Lowry
Justices of Peace { M. K. Hatch, T B Albert / Ed. Hughes G. W. Baker
Constables { H Churchman, J J H Young J W Carter, J H Mauzy, S Weitsel

Board of Supervisors.

Decatur.....Jacob Spangler, D. L. Hughes and Henry Hummell
Friends Creek.....J W Brown
Austin.....Robert Morris
Blue Mound.....Frank Coleman
Macon.....W S Gage
Mt. Zion.....William Davis
Whitmore.....J. C. Ruddock
Niantic.....James Dingman
Harristown.....M. G. Cannon
Hickory Point.....A McBride
Oakley.....Wm Grason
South Wheatland.....Hiram Ward
Long Creek.....Sam'l W Gillespie
Illini.....L. R. Morse
Maroa.....John Orr
Pleasant View.....E House
Milam.....J W Rogers

CHURCHES AND SOCIETIES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—On Prairie street between Main and Church streets. Rev. Robert Mackenzie, pastor. Regular services at 10½ o'clock, A. M. and 7:30 P. M.; Sabbath school, 2 P. M.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Corner of North Water and William Streets. Rev. W. N. McElroy, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

STAFF'S CHAPEL, (METHODIST EPISCOPAL)—Corner of Eldorado and Franklin streets. Rev. Wm. Stevenson, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M. W S Prentiss Presiding Elder.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Northeast corner of Water and Will streets. Rev. Mr Bonham pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Water street south of Eldorado street. Rev. W W DeWolfe rector. Services at 10½ A. M and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2:30 P. M.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Corner North Main and Cerro Gordo streets. Rev Mr Fields, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 9 A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Corner of North Main and North streets; Rev. N. S. Haynes pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school at 2 P. M.

GERMAN METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—On Eldorado street, between Church and Union streets. Rev. Mr. Baumgarden pas. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath school at 9 A. M. and 2 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—On Prairie street west of the new square. Rev. ——, pastor. Services 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 9½ A. M.

CATHOLIC CHURCH—Corner of North and Jackson streets. Services by the Rev. Mr. Hickey, every Sabbath, at 8 A. M., early mass; high mass, 10½; vespers at 3½ P. M.

CHURCH OF GOD—On corner of Water and Cerro Gordo streets, Rev. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.; Sabbath school 2 P. M.

GERMAN LUTHERAN CHURCH—Corner of Wood and Edward streets. Rev. Mr. ——, pastor. Services at 10½ A. M. and 7 P. M.

BENEVOLENT SECRET SOCIETIES.

O. U. A. M.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 2, O. U. A. M., meets at their hall over Hildebrandt's drug store, every Thursday evening.

MASONIC.

MACON LODGE, No. 8, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Saturday night preceeding full moon every month. G. W. Bright, W. M.; Samuel Newell, Secretary.

IONIC LODGE, No. 312, A. F. & A. M.—Regular meeting, Monday night preceding full moon every month. R. C. Crocker, W. M.; Geo. S. Durfee, Secretary.

MACON CHAPTER, No. 21.—Regular meeting, Tuesday night preceding full moon every month. A. A. Murray, H. P.; M. Johnson, Secretary.

DECATUR COUNCIL, No. 16.—A. A. Murray, G. M.; J. R. Gorin, P. C. W.; Wm. L. Hammer Recorder. Regular meeting, first Monday of every month.

BEAUMANOIR COMMANDERY, No. 9.—A. A. Murray, E. C.; J. S. Hand, Recorder. Regular meeting fourth Thursday each month.

ODD-FELLOWS.

CELESTIAL LODGE, No. 186.—H. P. Christie, N. G.; F. G. Richmond, R. S. Meet every Monday; at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR ENCAMPMENT, No. 37.—P. D. Kline, C. P.; G. W. Patterson, H. P.; A. W. Sinck, S. W.; F. G. Richmond, J. W.; B. B. Mohegan, Scribe; B. Stine, Treas. Meets every second and fourth Thursday in each month, at Odd Fellows' Hall.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. O. F., No. 65.—P. D. Kline, N. G.; Wm. Niedermeyer, R. S.; Meets every Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows' Hall.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

CŒUR DE LEON LODGE, No 17.—Knights of Pythias.—G. M. Durfee, C. C.; W. R. Samuel, K. of R. S.; meets Saturday evening, at their hall, cor. of E Main and Water sts.

GOOD TEMPLARS.

DECATUR LODGE, I. O. of G. T. No 361.—J R. Gorin, W. C. T.; H B. Montgomery, W. S. Meets every Monday evening in their new hall in Court House building, South Water street.

LADIES' LIBRARY ASSOCIATION—Prairie street, Shroeder's new building, second floor. Circulating Library, open every Saturday, from 1 o'clock until 5 o'clock P. M., for exchange of books. Any person may become a life member of the Association by the payment of $25, or an annual member on the payment of $3. And any member shall be entitled to all the privileges of the Association. Mrs. A. A. Powers, President; Mrs. M. K. Hatch, Vice President; Mrs. Chas. P. Thatcher, Secretary; Mrs. A. P. Hill, Treasurer.

"TRUE TO NATURE."

This first-class Chromo will be given to every subscriber to

Godey's Lady's Book for 1874

Whether to a Single Subscriber for $3, or in a Club of Six, for $14. Address

L. A. GODEY,
N. E. Cor. Sixth and Chestnut Sts., Philadelphia, Pa.

SUBSCRIBE

FOR THE

DECATUR

REPUBLICAN

THE BEST LOCAL PAPER

IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS.

$1.50 PER YEAR, IN ADVANCE

PEOPLE residing in Macon county need the REPUBLICAN in order to keep posted in the home news, while those at a distance should subscribe for and read it so that they may be enabled to see how things move in a live Illinois city.

The Republican

IS A

48 COLUMN PAPER

"Chock full" of fresh news,

HAMSHER & MOSSER,

PUBLISHERS,

Decatur, Ills.

CHILDREN'S KILT SUITS

BOYS' SUITS,

MEN'S SUITS,

TO SUIT EVERY ONE,

AT THE

BOSTON SQUARE

DEALING CLOTHING

House, S. E. Cor. of Clark and Madison Sts., Chicago.

Any article bought of this House can be returned, if not soiled, and the money will be refunded. [sep19-d4w.

WE WILL PAY

$1,000 IN GOLD

For a Machine that can excel Ours. Agents wanted everywhere. Address,

HOME SEWING MACHINE CO.

141 STATE STREET,

CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

"A Complete Pictorial History of the Times,"—"The best, cheapest, and most successful Family Paper in the Union."

Harper's Weekly

Splendidly Illustrated,

Notices of the Press:

The *Weekly* is the ablest and most powerful illustrated periodical published in this country. Its editorials are scholarly and convincing, and carry much weight. Its illustrations of current events are full and fresh, and are prepared by our best designers. With a circulation of 150,000, the *Weekly* is read by at least half a million persons and its influence as an organ of opinion is simply tremendous. The *Weekly* maintains a positive positive position, and expresses decided views on political and social problems.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

TERMS.

Harper's Weekly, one year.....$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar, will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00 without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly, and Bazar, to one address for one year $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time

The Annual Volumes of Harper's Weekly in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express free of expense, for $7 00 each. A complete Set, comprising *Fifteen Volumes*, sent on receipt of cash at the rate of $5 25 per vol., freight at expense of purchaser.

The postage on Harper's Weekly is 20 cents a year, which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

"Unquestionably the Best Sustained Work of the kind in the World."

Harper's Magazine

Notices of the Press:

The ever-increasing circulation of this excellent monthly proves its continued adaptation to popular desires and needs.—Indeed, when we think into how many homes it penetrates every month, we must consider it as one of the educators as well as entertainers of the public mind, for its vast popularity has been won by no appeal to stupid prejudice or depraved tastes.—*Boston Globe.*

The character which this *Magazine* possesses for variety, enterprise, artistic wealth and literary culture that has kept pace with, if it has not led the times, should cause its conductors to regard it with justifiable complacency. It also entitles them to a great claim upon the public gratitude. The *Magazine* has done good and not evil all the days of its life.—*Brooklyn Eagle.*

TERMS:

Harper's Magazine, one year.....$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine, Weekly or Bazar will be supplied gratis for every Club of Five Subscribers at $4 00 each, in one remittance; or, Six Copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly and Bazar, to one address for one year, $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address for one year, $7 00.

Back Numbers can be supplied at any time.

A Complete Set of Harper's Magazine, now comprising 45 Volumes, in neat cloth binding, will be sent by express, freight at expense of purchaser, for $2 25 per volume. Single volumes, by mail, $3 00. Cloth cases for binding, 88 cents, by mail, postpaid.

The postage on Harper's Magazine is 24 cents a year which must be paid at the *subscriber's* post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York

CHICAGO LADIES SEMINARY

Opens its twelfth year Sept. 11; and its elegant buildings, ample accommodations, retired location, thorough courses of study, unusual advantages in French, Art and Music render this institution the most desirable place of instruction for young Ladies in the country. No pains have been spared to select the most experienced teachers. Fine accommodations in a true home for boarders. Address,

MISS GREGG, Principal,
15 & 17 S. Sheldon St., Chicago,
September 2, 1871-d1w.

THE

DAILY

REPUBLICAN

STEAM

PRINTING HOUSE

Opposite the Court-House,

IS ALWAYS AHEAD

First-Class Printing!

COLOR PRINTING

A SPECIALTY.

THE REPUBLICAN

is the office where

Bill Heads,
Letter Heads,
Circulars,
Envelopes,
Labels,
Dodgers,
Programmes,
Posters,
Cards,
Notes,
Statements,
Receipts,
Tags,

And all kinds of printing in demand by business men, are done in a

Workmanlike Manner!

HAVING NOTHING BUT FIRST-CLASS material, and employing the best practical printers to be found in the State, we feel confident of our ability to satisfy our customers.

We do not profess to do work cheaper than anybody else, because

Cheap Printing Means Poor Printing.

OUR MOTTO IS,

'Decent Work fo Decent Pay.

COME AND SEE US!

HALL F. CHRISTIE. JOHN A. BARNES.

CHRISTIE & BARNES,

GENERAL

INSURANCE AGENTS

AND

NOTARIES PUBLIC.

"NON-BOARD"

Fire Insurance Agency

WE OFFER FIRE INSURANCE IN OLD established Companies that are willing, now that Decatur has a good Fire Protection, to insure property at *reasonable rates*, without regard to any "Boards," "Rings," or other combinations, and do not ask the people of Decatur to pay double rates to enable them to pay losses incurred by recklessly writing large lines in other cities. Examine our facilities for placing your Insurance before paying the exorbitant rates charged by "Board" Companies.

OFFICE:

No. 19 N. Water St.,

Over Hand's Drug Store,

DECATUR, ILL.

Dec. 5, 1873—d.

TO THE

EAST AND SOUTHEAST,

TAKE THE

T., W. & W. and I., B. & W. R R.,

AND THE

I. C. & L. RAILROAD.

IT IS THE SHORTEST, QUICKEST and only line running through coaches from Omaha, Kansas City, Quincy, to

Indianapolis, Cincinnati,

And all intermediate places,

WITHOUT CHANGE.

Close Connections are made at Cincinnati, and in the same depot with trains of the M. & C. and B. & O. R R., for Baltimore, Washington City, and ALL POINTS EAST. Passengers taking this route have only one change of cars between Omaha and Baltimore and Washington City—an inducement which NO OTHER LINE CAN OFFER.

Pullman Palace Sleeping Cars on all night trains, and Baggage checked through to destination.

Get and see that your tickets read "Via the Indianapolis, Cincinnati and Lafayette R. R.," and you will avoid the omnibus transfers, ferriage, changes and delays incident to other routes. This is the only line running FOUR DAILY TRAINS from Indianapolis to Cincinnati and the east.

H. J. PAGE, Gen. F't & Ticket Ag't,
JOHN EGAN, Gen. Pass. Ag't,

CINCINNATI, - - OHIO.

May 4, 1874-d.

Administrators' Sale

OF

REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the county court of Macon county, in the State of Illinois, made at the August term thereof, A. D. 1874 upon the petition of the undersigned, administratrix and administrator of the estate of Zachariah Chance, deceased, against Joseph Chance, et al., we will, on

Saturday, the 26th day of September,

A. D. 1874, between the hours of 10 o'clock, a m., and 5 o'clock, p. m., of said day, sell at public vendue, at the west door of the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said Macon county, the following described real estate in Macon county, in the State of Illinois, to-wit: Part of the east half of the northeast quarter of section thirty-four (34), in township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3d P. M., containing fifteen acres.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-half in six, and one-half in nine months, the purchaser to give his notes, bearing ten per cent. interest, with good personal security, and a mortgage on the premises purchased, to secure the same.

CHRISTIANA CHANCE, Adm'x,
WILLIAM M. CHANCE, Adm'r.

August 29—d4w.

Commissioner's Sale!

JOSEPH STARR vs. THOMAS W. LAWSON AND MARTHA JANE LAWSON.

Public notice is hereby given, That by virtue of a decree rendered in the above entitled cause, at the May term, A. D. 1874, of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Macon, and State of Illinois, the undersigned will sell on Saturday, the

10th day of October, A. D. 1874,

between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and sunset of said day, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, at public auction, to the highest bidder, the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section No. twenty-one (21) in township No. sixteen (16) north, range four (4) east of the 3d principal meridian; also the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side thereof of same section, township and range; also the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, excepting five (5) acres off the east side of said last named piece, in same section, township and range.

TERMS OF SALE: One-third purchase money cash in hand, balance in two equal payments due respectively in one and two years from the day of said sale, deferred payments to bear six per cent. per annum, and to be secured by note and mortgage on said land.

Decatur, Ill., August 27, 1874.

R. H. MERIWEATHER,
Special Commissioner.

sept3-d4w.]

Valuable Real Estate FOR SALE.

King's Orchard.

The undivided half of 38 acres, known as KING'S ORCHARD, lying in the northwestern part, and within the city limits, of Decatur. Land high and dry; covered with thrifty apple trees in full bearing. Well situated for, and will make, a valuable addition.

Also, two acres on corner of Union and Marietta streets, adjoining the above land; two-story brick house, 48x44 feet, with ell 25x35 feet; main building unfinished. House now occupied by owner.

Also, an office in Central Block, now occupied by Warren & Durfee. Any and all will be sold VERY CHEAP and on easy terms.

JOS. KING.

July 22, 1874-dtf.

MS EXTRAORDINAR

Terms of Advertising are offered for Newspapers in the State of ILLINOIS! Send for list of papers and schedule of rates.—Address GEO. P. ROWELL & CO., advertising Agents, 41 Park Row, New York. MEN'TION THIS PAPER.

Favorite Short Route

To all principal points

WEST

The "Old Reliable" and Popular

HANNIBAL & ST. JOSEPH

Railroad Line.

Shortest and Quickest Route

RUNNING

3 THROUGH EXPRESS TRAINS DAILY!

Equipped with Miller's Patent Safety Platform, Coupler and Buffer, and the celebrated Westinghouse Patent AIR BRAKES, the most perfect protection against accidents in the world.

New and elegant Day Coaches and two daily lines of Pullman's PALACE SLEEPING CARS are run through from

CHICAGO,

MENDOTA, GALESBURG and QUINCY

To KANSAS CITY

WITHOUT CHANGE,

Also a daily line of Pullman's Palace Sleeping Cars from Springfield and Jacksonville

To St. Joseph and Atchison

And New and Elegant Day Coaches from Cincinnati and Indianapolis to Kansas City, without change.

Close connections are made at St. Joseph for Nebraska City, Lincoln,

Council Bluffs & Omaha

To secure all the modern improvements in Railway traveling, purchase tickets via the Hannibal and St. Joseph Short line,

"QUINCY ROUTE!"

Avoiding all Transfers, Ferries and changes of cars.

Through Tickets for sale at all principal offices. Fare always as low as by any other route. Baggage checked through to all principal points.

E. A. PARKER, Gen'l Ticket Agent.
L. W. TOWNE, Gen'l Sup't.

January 15, 1874—dly.

BALTIMORE & OHIO

RAILROAD.

The Shortest and Quickest Route

TO

WASHINGTON, BALTIMORE!

The East and Southeast.

Condensed Time Table Through Trains.

VIA PARKERSBURG, May 31, 1874.	Fast Line.	St. Louis Express.
	Daily.	Daily.
Lve. Cincinnati	9 55 a m	9 30 p m
Arr. Chillicothe	1 15 p m	1 10 a m
" Portsmouth	5 55 "	10 20 "
" Marietta	5 25 "	5 20 "
" Parkersburg	6 30 "	5 30 a m
" Grafton	9 15 "	9 40 "
" Oakland	11 24 "	11 34 "
" Deer Park	11 43 "	11 47 "
" Cumberland	1 50 a m	2 00 p m
" Harper's Ferry	5 02 "	4 56 "
" Washington	7 10 "	6 50 "
" Richmond	1 30 p m	4 50 a m
" Baltimore	8 40 a m	8 20 p m
" Wilmington	12 17 p m	8 30 p m
" Philadelphia	1 20 "	11 31 a m
" New York	5 15 "	2 35 "
" Boston	5 50 a m	6 05 "

VIA BELLAIRE, May 31, 1874.	Fast Line.	Express.
	Daily.	Sun. Ex.
Lve. Columbus	11 15 a m	11 45 p m
Arr. Newark	12 35 p m	12 50 a m
Lve. Sandusky	7 45 a m	7 00 p m
" Monroeville	8 25 "	7 50 "
" Mansfield	10 07 a m	9 51 "
Arr. Newark	12 30 p m	12 45 a m
" Zanesville	1 35 "	1 55 "
" Bellaire	4 50 "	5 15 "
" Wheeling	6 10 "	5 45 "
" Grafton	9 05 "	9 20 "
" Oakland	11 24 "	11 34 "
" Deer Park	11 43 "	11 47 "
" Cumberland	1 50 a m	2 00 p m
" Harper's Ferry	5 02 "	4 56 "
" Washington	7 10 "	6 50 "
" Richmond	1 30 p m	4 50 a m
" Baltimore	8 40 a m	8 20 p m
" Wilmington	12 17 p m	1 31 a m
" Philadelphia	1 20 "	2 35 "
" New York	5 15 "	6 05 "
" Boston	5 50 a m	4 50 p m

Pullman Palace Drawing-Room and Sleeping Cars from St. Louis, Cincinnati, and Columbus, to Washington and Baltimore, without change.

Through Tickets and further information can be obtained at all principal ticket offices throughout the West, Southwest and Northwest.

THOS. P. BARRY, Western Pass. Ag't, Cincinnati.
L. M. COLE, Gen. Ticket Ag't, Baltimore, Md.
THOS. R. SHARP, Master of Transportation, Baltimore, Md.

July 11, '74]

M. A. MYER,

House, Sign & Fresco

PAINTER,

Glazier, Grainer & Paper Hanger.

THANKFUL for past favors, a continuance of the patronage of the public is respectfully solicited.

Shop over Quinlan & Bro.'s Carpet Store, East Main street, Decatur, Ill.

March 17 1870-y.

Come and See Me!

IF YOU WANT THE

Best Bread in Town,
Fresh Pies and Cakes,
Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts,
Oysters in Every Style,

or by the can—in short, anything in the provision line, give me a call.

South Main Street

wo doors north of Imboden's Meat Market

B. F. STEPHENS.

January 6 1873-dtf.

ASK FOR

PYLE'S

OK

SALERATUS

AND

BAKING SODA!

THE BEST IN USE.

May 21, 1874-d6m.

Julius Bauer & Co.

Manufacturers of the

FAVORITE

BAUER PIANOS.

Our Pianos have all the valuable modern improvements, and are pronounced by Leading Artists as First-Class in Every Particular.

Also, of the

IMPROVED

BAUER ORGANS.

Our Organs are unequalled for Power and Sweetness of Tone, and Beauty of Finish.

Nearly 30,000 now in Use.

Every Piano and Organ Fully Warranted for 5 Years.

Catalogues sent free to any address. Pianos and Organs sold on easy terms, and second hand instruments taken in exchange for new ones. All kinds of Musical Instruments Repaired.

Julius Bauer & Co.

COR. STATE & MONROE STS.,

PALMER HOUSE,

CHICAGO.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

Circuit Court of Macon County, December term, A. D. 1874.

John B. A. Read vs. Leander McQueary, IN CHANCERY.

Affidavit that the residence of Leander McQueary, defendant above named, cannot, upon diligent enquiry, be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Leander McQueary that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof; and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of December next (1874), as is by law required.

Now, unless you, the said Leander McQueary, shall be and appear before said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of a term thereof to be held at Decatur, in said county, on the

First Monday of December, A. D 1874,

and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

EPLER & CALLON, Compl'n's Sol's.

Decatur, September 3, 1874. d4w

Charles P. Housum,

Solicitor of Patents!

Mechanical Draftsman,

—AND—

Monumental Designer!

POST OFFICE BOX 234,

DECATUR, ILL.

OFFICE:—Room 11, Powers' Block.

[Sept. 15, 1870.—1y.

J. B. EHRHART,

SIGN

—AND—

Fresco Painter!

SHOP:—Over Decatur National Bank.

December 2, 1873, dtf.

"A Repository of Fashion, Pleasure, and Instruction."

Harper's Bazar

Notices of the Press:

The *Bazar* is edited with a contribution of tact and talent that we seldom find in any journal; and the journal itself is the organ of the great world of fashion.—*Boston Traveller.*

The *Bazar* commends itself to every member of the household—to the children by droll and pretty pictures, to the young lady by its fashion-plates in endless variety, to the provident matron by its patterns for the children's clothes, to *paterfamilias* by its tasteful designs for embroidered slippers and luxurious dressing gowns. But the reading matter of the *Bazar* is uniformly of great excellence. The paper has acquired a wide popularity for the fireside enjoyment it affords.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

TERMS.

Harper's Bazar, one year.....$4 00

An Extra Copy of either the Magazine Weekly, or Bazar will be supplied gratis for every club of five subscribers at $4 00 each, in one remittance; or, six copies for $20 00, without extra copy.

Subscriptions to Harper's Magazine, Weekly, and Bazar, to one address for one year, $10 00; or, two of Harper's Periodicals, to one address, $7 00.

Back numbers can be supplied at any time

The five volumes of Harper's Bazar, for the years 1868, '69, '70, '71, '72, elegantly bound in green morocco cloth, will be sent by express, freight prepaid, for $7 00 each.

The postage on Harper's Bazar is 20 cents a year, which must be paid at the subscriber's post-office. Address

HARPER & BROTHERS, New York.

French Plate Glass

DEPOT.

American and French Window Glass, for dwellings and store fronts.

English Crystal Sheet Glass,

For Passenger Cars.

Skylight and Floor Glass, German Looking-Glass Plates,

COLORED AND ENGRAVED GLASS,

For sale cheap by

BENJAMIN H. SHOEMAKER,

No. 205, 207, 209, and 211 North Fou h St.

PHILADELPHIA, PA.

March 19, 1874-w8t.

AGENTS WANTED for the newest, best and fastest selling book out.

Ocean's Story,

by F. B. Goodrich, Son of "Peter Parley." Remarkable voyages, shipwrecks, adventures, explorations, piracies, mutinies, naval combats, and the history of all kinds of naval progress. The romance of "Old Ocean," and 1000 things of interest and value. Over 200 illustrations and very low priced. Send for circular and most liberal terms to agents, to VALLEY PUBLISHING CO., St. Louis, or Chicago.

NEW QUARTER

WHO? WHERE

Warren & Durf

Abstracts of Ti

INSURANCE

REAL ESTAT

—AND—

Conveyancing Offic

Now on the corner Main and Water Sts Room recently oc pied by W. J. Bro Druggist.

October 23, 1874—d.

Ayer's

Hair Vigo

For restoring to Gray Hai natural Vitality and Colo

A dres which is once agree healthy, effectual preserving hair. It restores f or gray to its orig color, with gloss and freshness of youth. hair is thickened, falling hair che and baldness often, though not alw cured by its use. Nothing can re the hair where the follicles are stroyed, or the glands atrophied decayed; but such as remain ca saved by this application, and sti lated into activity, so that a growth of hair is produced. Inst of fouling the hair with a pasty s ment, it will keep it clean and vigor Its occasional use will prevent the from turning gray or falling off, consequently prevent baldness. restoration of vitality it gives to scalp arrests and prevents the for tion of dandruff, which is often so cleanly and offensive. Free from th deleterious substances which m some preparations dangerous and i rious to the hair, the Vigor can c benefit but not harm it. If wa merely for a HAIR DRESSI nothing else can be found so desira Containing neither oil nor dye, it c not soil white cambric, and yet l long on the hair, giving it a rich, gl lustre, and a grateful perfume.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co

Practical and Analytical Chemists,

LOWELL, MASS.

Theo. Hildebrandt, Ag

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

VINEGAR BITTERS

VEGETABLE. FREE FROM ALCOHOL. PUREL. DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA. PUREL. VINEGAR BITTERS

No Person can take these Bitters according to directions, and remain long unwell, provided their bones are not destroyed by mineral poison or other means, and vital organs wasted beyond the point of repair.

Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Headache, Pain in the Shoulders, Coughs, Tightness of the Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad Taste in the Mouth, Bilious Attacks, Palpitation of the Heart, Inflammation of the Lungs, Pain in the regions of the Kidneys, and a hundred other painful symptoms, are the offsprings of Dyspepsia. One bottle will prove a better guarantee of its merits than a lengthy advertisement.

For Female Complaints, in young or old, married or single, at the dawn of womanhood, or the turn of life, these Tonic Bitters display so decided an influence that improvement is soon perceptible.

For Inflammatory and Chronic Rheumatism and Gout, Bilious, Remittent and Intermittent Fevers, Diseases of the Blood, Liver, Kidneys and Bladder, these Bitters have no equal. Such Diseases are caused by Vitiated Blood.

They are a gentle Purgative as well as a Tonic, possessing the merit of acting as a powerful agent in relieving Congestion or Inflammation of the Liver and Visceral Organs, and in Bilious Diseases.

For Skin Diseases, Eruptions, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Blotches, Spots, Pimples, Pustules, Boils, Carbuncles, Ring-worms, Scald-Head, Sore Eyes, Erysipelas, Itch, Scurfs, Discolorations of the Skin, Humors and Diseases of the Skin of whatever name or nature, are literally dug up and carried out of the system in a short time by the use of these Bitters.

Grateful Thousands proclaim VINEGAR BITTERS the most potential invigorant that ever sustained the sinking system.

R. H. McDONALD & CO.

Druggists and Gen. Agts., San Francisco, Cal., & cor. of Washington and Charlton Sts., N. Y.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS & DEALERS.

June 26, 1874-dawly.

Ayer's

Cherry Pectoral,

For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping-Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.

Among the great discoveries of modern science, few are of more real value to mankind than this effectual remedy for all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. A vast trial of its virtues, throughout this and other countries, has shown that it does surely and effectually control them. The testimony of our best citizens, of all classes, establishes the fact, that CHERRY PECTORAL will and does relieve and cure the afflicting disorders of the Throat and Lungs beyond any other medicine. The most dangerous affections of the Pulmonary Organs yield to its power; and cases of Consumption, cured by this preparation, are publicly known, so remarkable as hardly to be believed, were they not proven beyond dispute. As a remedy, it is adequate, on which the public may rely for full protection. By curing Coughs, the forerunners of more serious disease, it saves unnumbered lives, and an amount of suffering not to be computed. It challenges trial, and convinces the most sceptical. Every family should keep it on hand as a protection against the early and unperceived attack of Pulmonary Affections, which are easily met at first, but which become incurable, and too often fatal, if neglected. Tender lungs need this defence; and it is unwise to be without it. As a safeguard to children, amid the distressing diseases which beset the Throat and Chest of childhood, CHERRY PECTORAL is invaluable; for, by its timely use, multitudes are rescued from premature graves, and saved to the love and affection centred on them. It acts specifily and surely against ordinary colds, securing sound and health-restoring sleep. No one will suffer troublesome Influenza and painful Bronchitis, when they know how easily they can be cured.

Originally the product of long, laborious, and successful chemical investigation, no cost or toil is spared in making every bottle in the utmost possible perfection. It may be confidently relied upon as possessing all the virtues it has ever exhibited, and capable of producing cures as memorable as the greatest it has ever effected.

PREPARED BY

Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass.,

Practical and Analytical Chemists.

SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE.

Theo Hildebrandt, Ag't

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Wanted Agents for Dr. Cornelis Dollar Family Paper—Religion and Health united—a splendid premium to every subscriber—nothing like it in the country—a rare chance—particulars free—B. B. RUSSELL, Publisher, Boston, Mass.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY,

In the Circuit Court to the December Te A. D. 1874.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That N has heretofore been commenced, an now pending, in the Circuit Court of Ma county, in the State of Illinois, on the ch ry side thereof, wherein Charles A. Mann and Edward F. Leonard, by the firm na of C. A. Manners & Co., are complaina and the Indiana and Illinois Central R way Company, the Union Trust Comp of New York, John K. Warren, John Champlin, Adolph H. Lazare, Henry Hammond, Sidney Dillon, Chancey bard, Benjamin E. Bates, George M. man, William H. Guion, and unknown sons having an interest in the subject ter of this suit are defendants, that summons has been issued therein ag the Union Trust Company of New York rected to the Sheriff of said Macon co to serve, made returnable to the Decem term of said court, to be holden at the C House, in Decatur, in said county of Ma

On Monday, the 7th day of Decem A. D. 1874,

at which time and place the said defend are required to plead, answer or dem the bill filed in said cause, or the same be taken pro confesso, and a decree bearing ex parte. E. McCLELLAN, Cl

A. SIMPSON and NELSON & ROBY Solic for Complainants.

Decatur, Ill., Oct. 16, 1874.

Blenz & Danzeise

BUTCHERS

And dealers in

SMOKED and CURED MEA

West Side Old Square.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds, always on hand. We nothing but choice stock.

We have on hand a Choice Lot of

Sugar-Cured Ham

Shoulders,
Breakfast Bacon, &c.,
Dried Beef,
Bologna Sausage,

LARD

AT WHOLESALE AND RETA

A full stock always on hand.

Decatur, April 10, 1874-dly.